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Farley Plans Army Flights On Nine Mail Routes Today

Fliers Will Cover About 25 Per Cent of Private Flight Mileage.

Four Air Probes Start at Capitol

Gen. Foulis Takes the Blame for Assuring the President.

By Franklyn Waltman, Jr.

Resumption of air-mail service, "probably" today on nine routes by Army Air Corps planes, was announced late yesterday by Postmaster General James A. Farley.

All air mail planes were grounded Sunday. Partial resumption of the service today depends on weather conditions.

Routes on which service will be resumed will be from New York to San Francisco, via Chicago and Salt Lake City; New York to Jacksonville, Fla.; Washington to Atlanta, Chicago to Dallas, via St. Louis and Kansas City; Salt Lake City to Seattle, Salt Lake City to San Diego, via Los Angeles; Cheyenne to Denver, Chicago to St. Paul and Boston to New York.

The mileage on these routes is about 25 per cent of the total covered by private operators prior to cancellation of air-mail contracts. As rapidly as standard equipment can be obtained and personnel trained, this list of air-mail routes will be extended, Mr. Farley explained.

Republicans Plan Attack. Meanwhile, on Capitol Hill four committees held hearings on aspects of the air-mail situation. Pending before the Senate was the emergency air-mail bill, previously approved by the House. Debate over the St. Lawrence treaty, however, prevented consideration of this measure.

When that measure comes up for debate a bloc of Senate Republicans will attack it and the Administration's handling of the whole air-mail situation. Senator William Gibbs McAdoo (Democrat), California, proposed yesterday that 90-day temporary contracts for carrying the mail be made at once with private transport companies.

Maj. Gen. Benjamin D. Foulis, Chief of the Army Air Corps, accepted the responsibility for finding assurances to the President that the Army was able and ready to carry the air mail. He made his statement before an executive meeting of the Senate Appropriations Committee, in charge of Army appropriations, thus confirming a story which appeared in The Post March 3.

The Senate committee quizzed the higher Army command as to who told the President the Army could handle the air mail safely. Gen. Douglas MacArthur, Chief of Staff, and Maj. Gen. Hugh A. Drum, Deputy Chief of Staff, said they knew nothing of plans to transfer the air mail to the Army until the President issued his executive order.

Severe Weather Blamed. Both officers said if Secretary of War George H. Dern had any advance knowledge of the plan, he

Insull, Weared, May Give Up

Fugitive Utilities Magnate Considering Surrender in Greece.

Athens, March 12 (AP).—Samuel Insull, fugitive Chicago millionaire, unwanted here and unable to get a visa for most countries in Europe, may give up the fight and return to the United States to face trial, it was learned today.

The elderly utilities magnate, in poor health and worn by continuous efforts to escape extradition to America on charges of fraud, was represented as weary of the struggle and resigned to his fate.

Insull is declared to be seriously considering surrendering to the United States Legation here. He twice has sought successfully Washington's efforts to force his extradition from Greece, but his permit to remain here definitely has been canceled. The date of his departure is set for Thursday.

This final cancellation came as a result of a dispatch from the Greek Legation in Washington, it was understood, reporting unfavorable reaction to the constant protraction of Insull's stay in Greece.

His physicians insisted Insull probably never would live to face trial in America, but he was represented as ready to take the risk of the voyage.

Old Ohio Church Burned.

Hamilton, Ohio, March 12 (AP).—Fire of undetermined origin today destroyed the United Presbyterian Church building here, property of one of the oldest congregations in Hamilton. Loss was estimated at \$150,000.

Accepts Responsibility

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Soviet Forms Mission to Win Trade in U.S.

Bargains Favoring Russia Will Be Sought With Export Bank.

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Moscow, March 12.—A Soviet trade mission will be sent to the United States soon to investigate possibilities for increased commerce offered by the new American Export-Import Bank, recently chartered at Washington, to facilitate Russian trade, it was learned today. Officials made it plain, however, that the expected trade revival between the Soviets and America will be based on terms which Communist leaders consider favorable to their country.

"Russia will require, it was said, that purchases here keep pace with sales of United States products in the Soviet Union. One fair-sized sale of \$250,000 worth of linen goods has just been made here by a New York firm, but there has been little other major commercial activity."

Plans Not Yet Defined.
It was understood that Ivan Boiev, vice commissar for foreign trade, will head the mission to New York and Washington. Definite plans are not yet made, but the mission probably will depart at an early date.

Trade talks will be held, also, between William C. Bullitt, new American ambassador, and Soviet leaders here. Bullitt himself is expected to get many orders from Russia, American purchases of Russian products must be increased.

The American Export-Import Bank was chartered with \$1,000,000 capital, and is authorized to finance American trade with Russia up to about \$100,000,000.

Bullitt Makes Study.
A study of the question of greater American purchases of Russian goods is being made by the State department, Bullitt said. He believed the plan can be arranged without competing with home production.

Flushed with progressive increases in its own industrial production, which is more and more reducing Russia's dependence on foreign machinery, the rulers in the Kremlin believe they are in a strong bargaining position.

Outlining the new foreign trade policy toward the capitalist world, A. Rosenzweig, commissar for foreign commerce, said:

"We must have home credit."
"We don't say we shall give up imports entirely, but we no longer will have to agree to considerable purchases abroad on any terms. There must be long-term contracts and normal interest rates before we again shall consider large-scale buying."

This same policy was phrased even more bluntly by G. Ordzhonikidze, commissar for heavy industry, who asserted that imports of heavy machinery and equipment in 1934 will be reduced to "several million rubles" compared with 155,000,000 rubles spent abroad on such items in 1933.

In this connection, it was stated that Soviet Russia finished 1933 with a favorable trade balance, the first in a number of years.

Russia, in dealing with other countries, has a powerful trade implement in the shape of a government monopoly on all foreign commerce. It is the sole purchasing and sales organization.

2 Bandits Get \$4,000, Lock Cashier in Vault

Huntland, Tenn., March 12 (AP).—Brashdishing pistols, two men forced Cashier C. B. Gattis into a vault and robbed the First National Bank of Huntland of an estimated \$4,000 here today.

Shortly after the cashier began the day's business the men worked their way into the vault and Gattis, who drew pistols and locked Gattis in the vault. He was released several minutes later by John Hunter, president of the institution.

Bandits Kidnap 9, Flee With \$21,000

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Was forced to sit on the lap of one of the masked bandits; Miss Mary Low was also kidnapped, and Miss Gertrude Weinmann was compelled to stand on the running board.

"Swore Continually," Says Girl.
"The bandits pulled us around and swore continually," Miss Matlock said.

The others taken as hostages were Hugh Cavanaugh, Ed Matlock, John Baker, Pat Hansen and Wolf. Cavanaugh leaped from the running board and others were freed outside town.

The bandits' car was found several hours later about five miles west of Atchison.

Unverified reports that a woman had been seen in a hotel here this morning, leading to a police theory that the leader may have been Clyde Barrow, notorious bank robber and killer, whose companion is Bonnie Parker, cigar-smoking gunman.

Hotel Painter Dies In 7-Foot Fall

Hurt at Work in Mayflower "Cocktail Salon."

Injured when he fell 7 feet from a scaffold in the Mayflower Hotel yesterday, W. H. Weishauf, 60, a painter, died in an ambulance en route to Emergency Hospital.

Weishauf was employed in decorating the hotel's new "cocktail salon." He was working on a scaffold suspended from the ceiling. Fellow workmen said he apparently lost his balance and fell, striking his head on the concrete floor. Physicians reported he suffered a fractured skull.

Weishauf lived in the 2900 block, Mill avenue northeast.

Parole Board Storm Grows As Johnson Quits, Scott Ready

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the country for the position, regardless of his political affiliations," Allen said. He added the Commission has not decided on anyone for the post.

Corporation Counsel William W. Bridge, who is to be succeeded in office Thursday by E. Barrett Prentiss, has been asked by Commissioner Allen to reconsider an offer of a post on the Parole Board, which was made vacant by the appointment of Isaac Gans to the Liquor-Control Board. Bridge will make known his decision today.

Dr. Scott declared both he and Dr. Johnson concluded it is next to impossible to get the support of the Commissioners on any of their recommendations for a first-class parole program. "I am inclined to try once more to get their support, before I resign," he said.

Dr. Scott is a member of the faculty of Howard University.

Allen Surprised.
"It is all news to me," Commissioner Allen said, "when Dr. Johnson's letter was referred to him, in which the parole board member declared the board for a period of 18 months had tried to impress upon the Commissioners the need for their recommendations. Commissioner Allen explained the recommendations for psychiatrists had been made to the previous Board of Commissioners."

It was later explained that the act which created the parole board did not authorize any appropriation for payment for its work, and all members serve without salaries. Legislation to give the parole board the right to receive money failed to get through the last session of Congress.

Dr. Johnson's Letter.
In his letter of resignation, Dr. Johnson said:

"In April, 1932, when I was asked by Dr. Reichelderfer to serve on the newly created parole board, I accepted with enthusiasm since I saw potentialities for developing in Washington a model parole and probation system, and more important than this, that through such a set-up there was an opportunity to study over a considerable period of time all the factors entering the development of crime and mental illness."

"Very shortly after our organization forwarded to the Commissioners and the Board of Public Welfare recommendations as to what we would need to carry out the above plans and the act of Congress creating the board. We were amazed to discover that no appropriation was made."

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"We don't say we shall give up imports entirely, but we no longer will have to agree to considerable purchases abroad on any terms. There must be long-term contracts and normal interest rates before we again shall consider large-scale buying."

This same policy was phrased even more bluntly by G. Ordzhonikidze, commissar for heavy industry, who asserted that imports of heavy machinery and equipment in 1934 will be reduced to "several million rubles" compared with 155,000,000 rubles spent abroad on such items in 1933.

In this connection, it was stated that Soviet Russia finished 1933 with a favorable trade balance, the first in a number of years.

Russia, in dealing with other countries, has a powerful trade implement in the shape of a government monopoly on all foreign commerce. It is the sole purchasing and sales organization.

Supreme Court Curtails F. T. C. "Trust" Powers

Letter of Law Ruling May Have Future Bearing on Recovery Cases.

A sharp limitation of the power of the Federal Trade Commission over alleged violators of the Clayton antitrust law, was imposed yesterday by the Supreme Court in a decision which caused a break in the ranks of the court and produced an unusual alignment, which may prove significant as to the court's attitude on recovery powers.

Judge Owen J. Roberts, who wrote the important New York State milk law case last week for the liberal wing, delivered the ruling opinion in this case, which was concurred in by the conservative members.

The action involved the power of the commission to direct the Arrowhart and Hegeman Electric Co. of Connecticut to dissolve a merger of assets of two competing electrical goods manufacturing concerns.

Chief Justice Charles E. Hughes voted with the liberalists, Justice Louis D. Brandeis, Harlan F. Stone and Benjamin N. Cardozo, in a dissent written by Stone.

Stock Transferred.
A merger of the two companies, the Arrow Electric Co. and the Hart and Hegeman Manufacturing Co., was effected in 1927. The commission started an action to cause a holding company to divest itself of the stock of the concerns because the combine allegedly lessened competition.

While the case was pending, stock of the two companies was transferred back to the holders after arrangements were made for merger of the assets. The commission filed a new complaint.

The merged company then was named in an amended action, and an order ultimately was issued directing a separation of assets.

The majority of the court held that by so doing the company had escaped the jurisdiction of the commission, and only a court could take jurisdiction over the offense, if one had been committed. It ruled that the commission had no power to order the divestiture of assets, but only of stock.

Stone Leads Dissent.
Stone, dissenting, held that, as the commission found, the transaction was "an artifice and subterfuge designed in an effort to evade the Clayton act, to perpetuate the elimination of competition."

The Legislature, he said, could not hope to anticipate every contingency that might arise in the administration of a complicated law and that the court should interpret the law in the light of intent.

The Clayton act, he added, was designed to prevent lessening of competition by stock acquisitions. Since this had been the initial step in the Arrow-Hart and Hegeman case, pursuit of the plan beyond that stage should not prevent the commission's action, he held.

Aside from the limitation of the commission's power, the ruling was considered important because of the widespread delegation of power to administrative bodies under New Deal legislation. The court's restriction of such power to the letter of the law, rather than its intent, might at some future date prove of great importance.

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Cities Roosevelt Interest.
"We were hopeful that the public expressions of President and Mrs. Roosevelt that Washington should develop the model probation and parole system would carry some influence. We were further to be disappointed when the President requested the director of the Budget to confer with you relative to setting up in Washington a model probation and parole system."

"In your recent letter to me you say it would be impracticable at this time to add to the budget estimates." In view of the fact that this matter has been in your office for 18 months, I can only assume that this is another way of calling my attention to the fact that I have overestimated the importance of this whole matter.

"Therefore, that your honorable board may be relieved of my importunities and because I have no interest in continuing a perfectly useless and perhaps harmful type of work, I respectfully tender my resignation from the board of the Parole and Probation Commission to take effect at your earliest convenience."

Hope Taliaferro Stays.
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Committee Discharged.
To all intents and purposes, the bill actually was passed 20 minutes after debate opened, when members voted, 313 to 104, to discharge the Ways and Means Committee from consideration of the measure. Joining in the vote for discharge were 17 Ways and Means members. Only seven committee members voted against it.

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How House Members Voted On Patman Bonus Measure

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Dear, Louisiana; Delaney, New York; DeRouen, Louisiana; Dickinson, Missouri; Dickstein, New York; Dies, Texas; Dinsley, Oklahoma; Dockweiler, California; Douglas, Massachusetts; Doxey, Mississippi; Driver, Arkansas; Duffey, Ohio; Duncan, Missouri; Dunn, Pennsylvania; Duran, Indiana; Eagle, Texas; Edmond, West Virginia; Eicher, Iowa; Ellenbogen, Pennsylvania; Elizer, Mississippi; Faddis, Pennsylvania; Farley, Indiana; Fernandez, Louisiana; Fitzgibbon, New York; Fitzpatrick, New York; Flannagan, Virginia; Fletcher, Ohio; Foulkes, Michigan; Frey, Pennsylvania; Fuller, Arkansas; Gammill, Maryland; Gassque, South Carolina; Gillespie, Illinois; Gillette, Iowa; Glover, Arkansas; Goldborough, Maryland; Grandfield, Massachusetts; Gray, Indiana; Green, Florida; Greenwood, Arizona; Greenwood, Indiana; Grengamy, Kentucky; Griswold, Indiana; Haines, Pennsylvania; Hamilton, Kentucky; Hancock, North Carolina; Hart, Michigan; Hastings, Oklahoma; Healey, Massachusetts; Henney, Wisconsin; Hildebrandt, South Dakota; Knute Hill, Washington; Samuel B. Hill, Washington; Hoeppel, California; Holdrege, Minnesota; Howard, Nebraska; Imhoff, Ohio; Jacobsen, Iowa; Jeffers, Alabama; Jencks, Indiana; Johnson, Oklahoma; Johnson, Texas; Johnson, West Virginia; Jones, Texas; Kee, West Virginia; Keller, Illinois; Kelly, Illinois; Kennedy, Maryland; Kennedy, New York; Kerr, North Carolina; Kleberg, Texas; Klobb, Ohio; Kniffin, Ohio; Kramer, California; Lambeth, North Carolina; Lammack, Ohio; Lanzetta, New York.

York; Larrabee, Indiana; Lee, Montana; Lehr, Michigan; Lasinski, Michigan; Lindsay, New York; Lloyd, Washington; Lozier, Montana; Ludlow, Indiana; McCarthy, Kansas; McClintic, Oklahoma; McCormick, Massachusetts; McFarlane, Texas; McGrath, California; McKown, Oklahoma; McSwain, South Carolina; Maloney, Connecticut; Maloney, Louisiana; Marland, Oklahoma; Martin, Colorado; May, Kentucky; Mead, New York; Meeks, Illinois; Miller, Arkansas; Milligan, Missouri; Mitchell, Tennessee; Managhan, Montana; Montet, Louisiana; Moran, Montana; Morehead, Nebraska; Murdock, Utah; Musselwhite, Michigan; Necbit, Illinois; O'Brien, Illinois; O'Malley, Wisconsin; Owen, Georgia; Palmisano, Maryland; Parker, Georgia; Parks, Arkansas; Parsons, Illinois; Patman, Texas; Pierce, Oregon; Polk, Ohio; Ramsay, West Virginia; Ramspeck, Georgia; Randolph, West Virginia; Rankin, Mississippi; Rayburn, Texas; Richards, South Carolina; Robinson, Utah; Rogers, New Hampshire; Rogers, Oklahoma; Pomjue, Missouri; Rudd, New York; Ruffin, Missouri; Sabath, Illinois; Sadowski, Michigan; Sanders, Texas; Sandlin, Louisiana; Schaefer, Illinois; Schuler, Illinois; Schulte, Indiana; Schugham, Nevada; Secrest, Ohio; Shellenberger, Nebraska; Shannon, Missouri.

Sirovich, New York; Smith, Washington; Smith, West Virginia; Snyder, Pennsylvania; Somers, New York; Spence, Kentucky; Strong, Texas; Stubbs, California; Studley, New York; Sullivan, New York; Swank, Oklahoma; Sweeney, Ohio; Taylor, Colorado; Taylor, South Carolina; Terrell, Texas; Thompson, Texas; Thompson, Texas; Turner, Tennessee; Unstead, North Carolina; Underwood, Ohio; Vinson, Georgia; Vinson, Kentucky; Wellgren, Washington; Walter, Pennsylvania; Warren, North Carolina; Wearin, Indiana; Weaver, North Carolina; Weideman, Michigan; Werner, South Dakota; White, Idaho; Willford, Iowa; Wilson, Louisiana; Wood, Montana; Zloneck, Washington.

Total Democrats for—59.
Farmer-Labor—For:
Arens, Johnson, Kvale, Lundeen, Shoemaker, all of Minnesota.
Total Farmer-Labor for—5.
Grand total—64.

Democrats Against:
Ayers, Kansas; Bailey, Texas; Biermann, Iowa; Bland, Virginia; Boehne, Indiana; Brooks, Pennsylvania; Brown, Kentucky; Buchanan, Texas; Buck, California; Burch, Virginia; Burke, Nebraska; Byrnes, Tennessee; Cady, Michigan; Caldwell, Florida; Claiborne, Missouri; Cochran, Missouri; Coffin, Idaho; Cole, Maryland; Corning, New York; Cox, Georgia; Darden, Virginia; Dobbins, Illinois; Doughton, North Carolina; Dreury, Virginia; Flesinger, Ohio; Gavan, New York; Griffin, New York; Harlan, Ohio; Barter, Ohio; Hill, Alabama; Huddleston, Alabama; Hughes, Wisconsin; Kenney, New Jersey; Kocalkowski, Illinois; Koppelman, Connecticut; Lanham, Texas; Lea, California; Lewis, Colorado; Lewis, Maryland; McDuffie, Alabama; McMillan, South Carolina; McReynolds, Tennessee; Martin, Oregon; Montague, Virginia; O'Connell, Rhode Island; O'Connor, New York; Oliver, Alabama; Oliver, New York; Peterson, Florida; Pettengill, Indiana; Peyser, New York; Prall, New York; Kelly, Wisconsin; Richardson, Pennsylvania; Robertson, Virginia; Sears, Florida; Sisson, New York; Smith, Virginia; Steagall, Alabama; Summers, Texas; Sutphin, New Jersey; Tarver, Georgia; Terry, Arkansas; Thom, Ohio; Thompson, Illinois; Utterback, Maine; West, Ohio; West, Texas; Whittington, Mississippi; Wilcox, Florida; Wood, Georgia; Woodrum, Virginia; Young, Ohio; Ford, California.

Total Democrats against—74.
Republicans against:
Andrew, Massachusetts; Andrews, New York; Bacon, New York; Bakewell, Connecticut; Beck, Pennsylvania; Beedy, Maine; Bolton, Ohio; Cavichia, New Jersey; Christianson, Minnesota; Clarke, New York; Cooper, Ohio; Calkin, New York; Barrow, Pennsylvania; Eaton, New Jersey; Elise, California; Evans, California; Fish, New York; Foss, Massachusetts; Goss, Connecticut; Gifford, Massachusetts; Goodwin, New York; Hancock, New York; Hartley, New Jersey; Higgins, Connecticut; Hollister, Ohio; Holmes, Massachusetts; Lehibach, New Jersey; Luce, Massachusetts; McGugin, Kansas; McLean, New Jersey; Mapes, Michigan; Martin, Massachusetts; Merritt, Connecticut; Millard, New York; Perkins, New Jersey; Plumley, Vermont; Powers, New Jersey; Reed, New York; Rich, Pennsylvania; Rogers, Massachusetts; Simpson, Illinois; Snell, New York; Stalker, New York; Stokes, Pennsylvania; Taber, New York; Thomas, New York; Tinkham, Massachusetts; Tobey, New Hampshire; Treadway, Massachusetts; Whitley, New York; Wigglesworth, Massachusetts.

Total Republicans against—51.
Grand total against—125.

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Mail Fliers Hope to Renew Flights Today

Farley Announces Army to Resume Flying on Nine Routes.

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Along with Brig. Gen. Oscar Westover, Assistant Chief of the Air Corps, they blamed unusually severe weather conditions for the deaths of Army fliers assigned to mail routes. Gen. Westover pointed out that in some cases it was necessary to use six pursuit planes to carry as much mail as one large commercial ship, thus increasing the risk of accidents.

The Senate Committee on questions propounded by Senators Robert D. Carey (Republican), of Wyoming, and David A. Reed (Republican), of Pennsylvania, brought out that the plan for the Army to carry the mail was negotiated by Gen. Foulis, Harrier Branch, Second Assistant Postmaster General, and Eugene Viday, Aeronautics Chief in the Commerce Department, at a meeting held for five hours before the transfer was made.

Executive Order Issued.

Gen. Foulis testified that at that meeting he had agreed the Army could do the job. Later in the day Mr. Branch in giving his version of the meeting, said Gen. Foulis had shown a degree of enthusiasm for the task, explaining it would give his fliers a type of experience they needed. Two hours after the meeting ended, and before he could report to the chief of staff, the President issued his Executive order.

Mr. Branch made his explanation of how the transfer of air mail to the Army was handled at the press conference. He said that after the Army started carrying the mail Gen. Foulis made a radio speech in which he said that the hazards of flying the mail were not as great as peace-time military aviation operations.

Mr. Branch said that the operation of the air mail had been in the hands of the Army. He cited the various orders issued from time to time by Gen. Foulis to commanders urging that every precaution be taken for safety.

Testimony Agrees.

His version of the meeting in his office on the day that the President canceled the air-mail contracts and transferred the task to the Army agreed with that given by Gen. Foulis to the Senate Appropriations Committee.

In addition to this committee, the House and Senate Postoffice and Post Roads Committees and the Senate Banking and Currency Committee dealt with aspects of the air-mail situation. The latter received from New York Stock Exchange officials another list of persons trading in aviation stocks between December 1 and February 9, the date of air-mail contract cancellation.

This list, containing about 3,000 names, included that of Miss Ruth F. McGraw, secretary to Representative Andrew Edmiston (Democrat), West Virginia, as a "short seller" of 200 shares of United Air Transport, prior to the cancellation announcement. Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., was listed making a long sale of 1,000 shares of the same stock.

Advance Notice Denied.

Miss McGraw said the sale was made for her personal account and that she "made a little money" on it. She denied she had any advance knowledge that the contracts would be canceled, explaining that the developments in the air-mail field indicated the wisdom of selling aviation stocks.

The firm of J. P. Morgan & Co. informed the committee that its sale of 4,500 shares of aviation stock previously reported was not for its own account, but was on the loan account of Charles E. Mitchell, former chairman of the board of the National City Bank, New York City. The Postoffice and Post Roads Committee heard W. W. Howes, First Assistant Postmaster General, testify regarding the Administration's bill revising the air mail laws. It provides for awarding three-year contracts for carrying air mail to private operators after competitive bidding.

Members of both committees criticized the bill's provisions. Senator M. M. Logan (Democrat), of Kentucky, thought the measure too arbitrary, requiring bidders who had contracts prior to February 9 to waive the right to challenge the validity of the cancellation order and in barring from bidding companies retaining officers who had any hand in the alleged collusion surrounding the making of former contracts.

Space Rates Rapped.

Mr. Howes explained that the Postoffice Department had not suggested the clause requiring waivers of claims under former contracts. Representative Clyde Kelly (Republican), of Pennsylvania, on the House side, criticized the space rate provisions of the bill. He held it was an improper method of determining compensation for carrying air mail.

Kelly contended "it was the most expensive thing you could do," but his statement was challenged by C. A. Ciesler, superintendent of air mail, who held that under the Kelly proposal of paying for carrying mails at 2 mills a pound the cost would be \$174,400 annually as compared with \$11,666,000 under the space method of computing cost. The only development during the day in respect to the temporary air mail bill before the Senate, authorizing the Army to carry the air mail for one year and providing for payment, was presentation of the McGraw amendment.

His amendment provided that "in order to meet the existing emergency with respect to carriage of mail by air and in order to afford sufficient time for necessary and proper legislation to be enacted by Congress," the Postmaster General, with approval of the President, would be authorized to make air-mail contracts, without advertising, for 90 days at such rates and on such terms as he may determine.

The New Dealers

—The Low Down on the Higher Ups—

Political Spellbinders Foes of the New Deal

Their Play to the People a Potential Threat to Set-Up.

Herbert Hoover's Candor on Issue Startled Old Politicians.

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By the Unofficial Observer.

AMONG the potent "public enemies" of the New Deal must be reckoned politics, so long as politics functions primarily as a means of distributing the jobs and contracts to the faithful.

In this sense, the conservative wings of both political parties and the press through which they speak are endangering the welfare of the people. No one would object to a clear-cut issue or decision one way or the other. In many ways, it is possible that a Big Business fascism would be a good half-way station to the desired goal of a more abundant life. The danger is that the experienced political hacks, stump-speaking spellbinders and crafty manipulators in both parties might maneuver the voters into thinking that popular impatience with the New Deal indicated a desire to return to the Old Order.

For this Old Order would be nothing but a transfer of power from people who know what they want to do to people who have no particular idea of what it is all about. Just as the election of 1932 was properly construed as a mandate for a New Deal, so the defeat of the Roosevelt Party either inside the Democratic organization or by the Republicans would be interpreted as authorization to scrap every vestige of the New Deal, and rely upon the forces of despair and reaction to complete the process of liquidation or to stimulate a violent revolution which would sweep away all vestiges of orderly government in the United States.

Not democracy, but the whims of an electorate in which the old-line politicians and the press have the inside tracks, is the great danger. Herbert Hoover, with all his hesitations and shortcomings, had both the manliness and decency to draw the issue sharply in the closing days of 1933 in his Madison Square Garden speech, in which he declared that the choice lay between the old time-tested American ways and the alien experiments of the New Deal.

Hoover's Candor Alien to Old-Time Politicians.

He received his answer when the votes were counted, but it was a fair answer. Such candor as Hoover's is alien to the old-time politicians. They will be vague, they will view with alarm, they will fiddle the Constitution, and they will hint slyly that Roosevelt's program is un-American, but they will not again if they can possibly avoid it. It permits the voters to make a choice between the old and the new. Rather will they wriggle quietly back to power, they will exclude men of independence and ideals from party offices and party power, they will continue to look upon politics as a game of giving the right gang the right jobs, and will go back to the old pie-counter methods which have prevailed for the last 30 years.

Among the public enemies of the New Deal, therefore, Hoover must be reckoned. The fact that he took the Constitution far too seriously and wore his hair-shirt in public, nobody harbors much resentment against him. He did his best. In another three or four years, he may recapture some of the respect and admiration which Woodrow Wilson regained in his latter years. In the meantime, he is materially assisting the New Deal by retaining control of the machinery of the Republican Party, in the belief that there will be a great popular demand for him to run again in 1936. Grover Cleveland also had a term in office, was beaten, and then came back for a second term, they tell him, and he believes it. He discloses the emergence of any other strong Republican sandwich-man who could build up good will for the C. O. P.

This in turn will automatically checkmate the activities of Ogden L. Mills, who long has been said to "realize that he ought to be President." Representative James Wadsworth, and other possibilities for a return to the Old Order.

Democratic conservatives, such as Senators William Gibbs McAdoo and Carter Glass, can also be discounted. These men are not themselves a menace to the New Deal.

Far more to be feared is some pleasant politician, a man with a handsome face, a resonant voice and the art of saying and thinking nothing which could violently offend anybody. The lower ranks of both parties are full of such men, Governors and Senators, to whom the art of pleasing the mob is a habit and who would look well in a toga. These are the men whose names emerge from a small smoke-filled hotel room at a party convention after the men of ideas and action have exhausted themselves in a struggle for the nomination. The walls are full of them.

"Alarmists" Fail to Harm New Deal Objectives.

Congential teeth-grinders like Senator Simon D. Fess, of Ohio, and turbulent alarmists like Senator Arthur Robinson can not harm the New Deal. Its real enemies are to be found in Congress, the National committees, the State committees and the local politicians to whom the winning of elections, the landing of jobs and the assignment of offices are bread-and-butter matters.

There is one important exception to this rule—Alfred E. Smith.



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Al is, potentially, the greatest political enemy a social revolution ever faced, if he can survive the tribulation he received from Father Charles E. Coughlin and the liberal Catholics on the "baloney dollar" issue. An aging conservative, he is generally regarded as a liberal; a man of big property interests and banking affiliations, he has the knack of tossing off the rough and humorous epithet which wins the mob; a strong and vindictive fighter, his pugacity bears no relation to political principles.

If the Tories should succeed in splitting the two older parties and reuniting the conservatives of the Republican East and the conservatives of the Democratic South, Al Smith would make an ominous candidate for the new party. Even in 1928 he won important support from the Eastern Republicans and the fact that he is nominally a Democrat would help to sweeten the dose for the Solid South, now that the religious issue is out of the way. Such a maneuver would, moreover, carry with it to the new party, such large chunks of the machinery of the old parties as seriously to cripple a corresponding effort to unite the Liberal Democrats and the Progressive Republicans.

For the Old Guard has one ace up its sleeve. Fifty years of quiet work on the election laws inside the separate States have made it practically impossible and almost illegal for a new party to be organized in an election year.

The Old Guard will pretend it was only playing for matches and the New Dealers may in their turn be playing patience instead of poker, but the play will continue and the discards themselves will be neither the enemies nor the victims of the game.

Tories Are Regarded As Political Wallflowers.

Let no one waste his pity on the Tories who are holding the losing hands. If fortune has passed them by it is no more than time is doing. They are political wallflowers—a pity that no one asks them to dance now that the polka has gone out of fashion, but why don't they learn the carols? Let no one waste his anger on the New Dealers who are following the run of the luck. They, like Roosevelt himself, are simply the symptoms of the New Deal and not its cause. The game would have to be played according to their rules no matter who held the cards.

For the real victims of the New Deal are obsolete ideas and irrelevant ideals. Ideas and ideals can die—even be brutally murdered—with less suffering than the Old Order exacted from a million undernourished children. Let them die and let them pass in the inextinguishable laughter of the gods. For the New Deal is a laughing revolution. It is purging our institutions in the fires of mockery and it is led by a group of men who possess two supreme qualifications for the task: common sense and a sense of humor.

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The End.

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"From the standpoint of the Government," Jones told reporters, "I don't think it ought to be done." Jones, who publishes a newspaper in Houston, Tex., refused to comment further.

The Publishers Finance Corporation, with headquarters in Raleigh, N. C., and with a group of North Carolina publishers, printers and bankers as officers and directors, recently was formed with a view to obtaining RFC loans to aid publishers throughout the country.

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Rifles Guard Ohio Governor Against Dillinger Kidnaping

Militia Put on Duty After Gangster Is Given Sentence.

Columbus, Ohio, March 12 (AP).—Riflemen of the Ohio militia patrolled Gov. George White's home here and a bodyguard remained at the executive's side throughout the day as authorities took precautions against possible violence by John Dillinger.

Fearing the outlaw might be bold enough to attempt kidnaping of the Governor or a member of his family to force release of his three confederates held at Lima, Adj. Gen. Frank D. Henderson ordered the guard today.

Since Harry Pierpont, one of the gangsters in jail at Lima, threatened to death yesterday, authorities were on edge.

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Defeat Looms For Roosevelt On Waterway

Vote on Treaty Is Due by Tomorrow; No Majority in Prospect.

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and therefore might be persuaded to shift their position.

Whether President Roosevelt will take the necessary steps to bring these Senators into line for ratification remains unknown. Senator Lewis, however, said, "there have been intimations that the President had solicited Senators on behalf of the treaty, either through an appeal to sentiment or the promise of some political favor."

"It is also intimated that Cabinet members in view of addressing Senators and demanded their support of the treaty."

"Knowing the President as I do, I must denounce the intimation that he would assume to influence this body to do his bidding. It is a thing to which he would not descend. He would agree that any Senator who so violated his conscience and surrendered the rights of his constituents would disgrace his office, pollute this chamber, and be a traitor to his position. I can not conceive that any member of this body could ever come within that pale."

Goes Into History.

"Certain Senators in the past, during the consideration of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty and the Panama Canal treaty, who sacrificed principle for the sake of mere accommodation, far from being rewarded by the Presidents then in power, not only were ignored, but when they ran for office afterward received not one word of approval from the then President of the United States. They received his silent condemnation."

Senator Lewis charged the treaty undertaken to surrender sovereignty over American land in three States and over land and water in one State to the President of the United States. That for years the decision holding the Federal Government can not alienate territory of any State without that State's consent, he argued, the treaty could not be legal.

Norris Fights for Past.

Senator George W. Norris (Republican), of Nebraska, urged the Republicans to adhere to their repeated party pledges in favor of the treaty. He said the farmers of the Middle West were only asking justice at the hands of the Senate—that for years they have uncompensated helped pay for harbor and canal projects and now wished some advantage in return.

He argued building of the St. Lawrence waterway would not injure the railroads and railroad workers, and that if it did, the project would not be completed for ten years and workers could readjust themselves in that period. Every progressive step, he said, has threatened the workers with unemployment, "but somehow Providence has always found a new niche for him to fill."

Senator L. J. Dickinson (Republican), Iowa, spoke against ratification, contending it would injure future prospects for development of the Mississippi River Valley and the Middle West. He contended that if Senators from the Middle West knew at the time the "clammy" that the Panama Canal would be for their section, they would have voted against that project.

11 Governors on Petition.

A petition urging ratification of the treaty, signed by Governors of 11 States and 17 former State Governors, was laid before the Senate by the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Tidewater Association.

Senator Wagner, on the other hand, said he did not object to the development of electric power on the St. Lawrence, but held that aspect of the project was not worth the "extravagant navigation project which would more than offset the power benefits." He said the

Rites for Col. Johnston Held at San Antonio

San Antonio, Tex., March 12 (AP). Military funeral services for Col. Gordon Johnston, Second Division chief of staff, were conducted today at the Fort Sam Houston Memorial Chapel by the Rev. O. J. Cohee. Burial will be in Arlington Cemetery.

Col. Johnston was fatally injured Wednesday in a polo game.

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Track Crossing Costs Man Life

Unseen Train Kills Turner, Brakeman.

Charles Turner, a brakeman employed by the Washington Terminal Co., was killed last night when he was reported to have stepped directly in front of a Washington-bound Baltimore & Ohio train at Union Station.

According to Joseph Sunstrom, of Baltimore, engineer of the train, he was proceeding at about 18 miles per hour when the man started to cross the tracks in front of the train.

Sunstrom blew the whistle, but as Turner was only a few feet from the locomotive, he did not have time to jump aside.

World Bank, After Pay Cut, Declares Dividend

Basle, Switzerland, March 12 (AP).—Despite the heavy drop in its business, the Bank for International Settlements today announced the 6 per cent dividend customary in boom days.

Leon Fraser, of New York, president of the bank, reduced employees' wages and pared other expenditures sharply in order to make the bank pay.

Preacher, Family Defy Ocean Perils

Plan Long Trip With God Their Sole Guide.

Los Angeles, March 12 (AP).—Ignorant of the principles of navigation, barely familiar with the mechanics of his craft, but confident "God will see us through," F. E. Mann, evangelist, his wife and four children, ranging in age from 6 to 20 years, will leave here Wednesday for Rio de Janeiro in their 40-foot fishing boat Jehu.

The evangelist said he knows nothing of that country, its customs or language, and is answering no human call to spread the gospel.

"The voice of God has called," he said. "He will see us through and we shall succeed in spite of handicaps. I will take no chronometer or sextant for the simple reason that I wouldn't know what to do with these navigating instruments if I had them along."

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Peanut Prices Being Elevated By Cooperation

Virginia Association, Less Than 2 Years Old, Has Helped Marketing.

[The eighth of a series of stories on the cooperative farm organizations of Virginia.] Suffolk, Va., March 12 (Spl.).—That youth is no barrier to accomplishment is shown by the record of the Virginia Co-Operative Peanut Association, Inc., with headquarters here.

Although not two years old, it has a record of real accomplishment. During its first season in 1932-33 it marketed 5,921,773 pounds of peanuts for its members and obtained over \$125,000 for them. In addition to handling the 1933 crop, the co-operative has been instrumental in securing of an A. A. A. marketing agreement covering Virginia and North Carolina peanuts. This agreement sets a minimum price to be paid growers of 3 cents per pound on the basis of No. 1 shelling stock, which is a substantial advance over the average price for 1932 and the price offered for the 1933 crop. This marketing agreement is expected to be a real boon to all peanut producers in Virginia and North Carolina, as well as to members of the association.

The association was organized in September, 1932, with 300 members. The association was chartered under the cooperative marketing act on October 5, 1932, and started operating immediately. It now has about 320 members in the important Virginia peanut producing counties of Nansemond, Surry, Sussex, Southampton, Prince Georges and Isle of Wight.

Directors elected in the different counties, together with the county agents and vocational agriculture teachers, have fostered development of the association. The president is C. D. Haverly, of Smithfield, while the management is in the hands of J. G. Marshall, of Suffolk.

During the 1932-33 season the members delivered 67,714 bags of peanuts to their association. The association processed, cleaned, shelled, graded and sold peanuts. It was able to return its members an average price of 1.5 cents per pound for the 1932 crop, as compared with an average of less than 1.25 cents per pound obtained by nonmembers.

Its leaders have led in working out a National marketing agreement for peanuts under the A. A. A. This agreement sets a minimum price of 3 cents per pound for No. 1 shelling stock to be paid producers. This raises materially the general level of prices on Virginia and North Carolina peanuts.

Hagerstown Area Hog Plan Pressed

More Meetings Arranged in Washington County.

Hagerstown, Md., March 12 (Spl.).—The hog and corn reduction campaign in Washington County was resumed today, with meetings slated in eight sections of the county. The first series were during the severe weather.

County Agent Milton D. Moore said these meetings were of special interest to the farmer who owned brood sows during 1932 and 1933.

He believes alfalfa is the most valuable crop that can be grown on areas taken out of corn production, and on which the Government will pay rental.

Ahepa Organizes Classes in Greek

Fredericksburg, Quantico Schools Planned.

Fredericksburg, Va., March 12 (Spl.).—Schools for the teaching of Greek to the families of Greek citizens who are now unfamiliar with the language will be established here and Quantico through the Mary Washington Chapter of Ahepa, American Hellenic Educational Progressive Association.

Plans for the school have been approved by Archbishop Athenagoras of the diocese of North and South America, who has to send an instructor here to organize classes. Instructions will be given on alternate weeks in Fredericksburg and Quantico.

The instructor's salary and all school expenses will be paid by donations by the Greeks. It is hoped to obtain a classroom without cost. Anyone wishing to learn Greek may enroll.

CWA Painters Still Remain on Strike

Danville, Va., March 12 (Spl.).—Painters employed on CWA projects who struck Friday because of a cut of from \$1.10 to 60 cents an hour are still out, according to Local Administrator Howard Hyllon. The painters have formed a union and Hyllon conferred with W. E. Chaney, its president, today. Chaney maintained that the prevailing local wage for painters is 85 cents an hour, but Hyllon said he was not authorized to negotiate, nor could he promise a 40-hour week instead of a 24-hour week, as requested.

Portrait Unveiling Rites Tomorrow

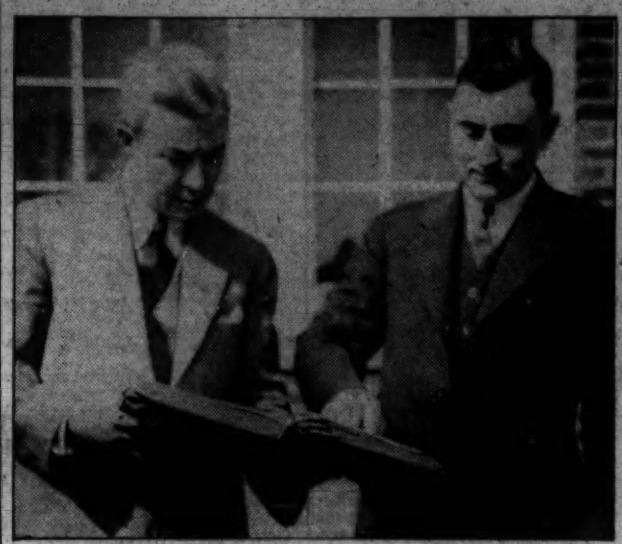
Picture of T. C. Miller Is Ready at Lynchburg.

Lynchburg, Va., March 12 (Spl.).—A portrait of Mrs. John A. Mahood, of this city, of Thomas C. Miller will be unveiled Wednesday at the T. C. Miller Grammar School, named for the late educator.

Presentation will be by Giles H. Miller and acceptance by Superintendent Oscar Carmichael. Thomas C. Miller, of Holcomb Rock, a grandson, will unveil the picture.

Mr. Miller for years taught at the Glass High School here.

Hope for Garfield's Recovery Found in Old Minute Book



Resolutions of sympathy and sorrow at the assassination of President Garfield in 1881 have been discovered in old Charles Town (W. Va.) city council minute books. City Clerk H. W. Willis (right) is pointing out passages to Mayor J. R. Russell. The resolutions were discovered when a question of the date of the town's power franchise necessitated a search of the records.

Charles Town, W. Va., March 12 (Spl.).—A dust-covered minute book, inscribed more than a half-century ago by the town council, aroused interest recently when officials discovered on its faded pages resolutions of sympathy at the assassination of President Garfield in 1881. The entry was made before Garfield died, and expressed hope for his speedy recovery.

The resolution was adopted at a special meeting July 9, 1881, called by Mayor Silfer.

The historic minutes came to light when questions as to the origin of the town's power franchise arose. The franchise was to run 50 years, and a dispute started as to whether the period ended this year or next.

"Whereas," the minutes read, "the Common Council of Charlestown, in common with the people of the community have received with regret the tidings of the attempted assassination of the President of the United States."

"Resolved, That in the name of our people we tender the President of the United States our warmest sympathies in his affliction and our heartfelt wishes for his speedy restoration to health and to the discharge of the functions of his high office."

Discovery of the old minutes revived interest in other old documents in the Jefferson County courthouse. Chief among them is the will of John Brown, noted abolitionist, signed with his mark when he was in the Charles Town Jail.

Brown directed that all his property, "scattered about in Virginia and Maryland," should be carefully gathered up and disposed of, with proceeds going "to my beloved wife, Mary A. Brown." He further stipulated that many of his belongings were "not of a war-like character," and trusted that "my rights and the rights of my family be respected."

A codicil declares that because of their kindness to him, Sheriff James W. Campbell and Jailor John Avis should each have a rifle, and if none were available from Brown's belongings, each should have a pistol.

Junior Order Councils Will Convene March 24

Lewisburg, W. Va., March 12 (Spl.).—Twenty councils of the Junior Order, United American Mechanics, will meet with the Fayetteville Council March 24 for an initiation to be directed by R. F. Lambert, State officer.

J. Alfred Taylor, former Representative, will speak.

Rites for C. P. Bragg Held at Waynesboro

Waynesboro, Va., March 12 (Spl.).—Funeral services were held yesterday for Charles P. Bragg, 44, World War veteran. He is survived by his widow. The local American Legion Post had charge of the funeral.

Dark Day

Fire and Two Warrants Afflict Man.

Waynesboro, Va., March 12 (Spl.).—"Lady Luck" turned her back on Herman Mudspaw yesterday.

Early in the day fire destroyed his home and all of his furnishings. Later police sought him with a warrant charging he was drunk and disorderly.

And to climax the situation, Mudspaw's wife filed a charge claiming he threatened to kill her.

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Norfolk Shows Large Reserve In Bond Fund

Money Enough to Defray Obligations Until 1939 Cited.

Norfolk, March 12 (Spl.).—T. P. Thompson, city manager, issued a statement today that the city has money on hand in its sinking fund sufficient to take care of all obligations until 1939. The statement contradicts contrary reports circulated here recently.

Despite the depression, Norfolk has reduced its net debt by exactly \$2,476,716.07 since January 1, 1931, Mr. Thompson said.

Other information revealed in the statement, announced as the audit of accounts for 1933 is completed, is as follows:

The cost of government in Norfolk in 1933 was 21.07 per cent less than in 1931.

Government Cost Cut.

The per capita cost of government declined from \$30.41 in 1931 to \$24.48 in 1932 and to \$29.81 in 1933.

Tax receipts for February, 1934, were \$80,552 against \$28,963 for the same month in 1932.

Enough cash is in the sinking fund to meet all maturities of bonds through 1938.

The price of Norfolk bonds on the public market has increased materially since December of last year, resulting in a total aggregate increase in value of more than \$3,000,000.

The Federal Home Owners Loan Corporation has made loans in Norfolk of which \$71,793 was authorized to pay taxes due the City of Norfolk.

City Finances Praised.

Additional comment on the city's sinking fund situation is furnished in statements by Carl H. Chatter, director of the Municipal Finance Officers Association of Chicago, and Dr. Rowland Egger, director of the bureau of public administration of the League of Virginia Municipalities and a member of the University of Virginia faculty.

Dr. Egger said: "We will hunt a long while for a sinking fund which has weathered the last three years so successfully as has Norfolk's."

The city's net debt was reduced \$55,685.37 in 1931; \$690,965.13 in 1932; and \$938,835.97 in 1933.

Of the total appropriated for 1933 operations, \$145,218.90 was expended at the close of the year.

Student Volunteers Are Called to Rally

Buckhannon, W. Va., March 12 (Spl.).—Officers have called a rally of 100 or more members of the student volunteers in 15 colleges of West Virginia and western Pennsylvania, to be held March 22-23 at West Virginia Wesleyan College here.

Miss Sylvia Zinn, president, is preparing the program. Conference leaders will include Dr. Warren H. Stuart, recently returned from China; Miss Clara Floyd of Sahnapur, India, and the Rev. and Mrs. Frank Llewellyn, formerly of India.

Westmoreland FERA Office Is Established

Montross, Va., March 12 (Spl.).—Mrs. Thelma M. Charles, Federal Emergency Relief Administration director for Westmoreland County, has established offices here.

Mrs. Charles formerly was superintendent of public welfare and FERA relief director in Taxwell County.

Levies Assure 9-Month Term For Jefferson

Charles Town, W. Va., March 12 (Spl.).—Assurance of a nine-month school term for Jefferson County was voiced by I. N. Bonham, county school superintendent, after completion of the 1933 tax levies.

Farm lands will be taxed \$1 per \$100. For the county general fund the levy will be 0.3 cents, 1.8 cents and 37.2 cents per \$100 on different property classes. Taxes to pay interest on county railroad bonds will be 1.75 cents and 3.5 cents on class three.

Education expenses will involve levies of 7 cents, 15.8 cents and 32.5 cents on the three property classes for teachers' salaries, and rates of 8.85 cents, 17 cents and 34 cents for school maintenance. Interest on school bonds will take levies of 5.25 cents, 10.5 cents and 21 cents.

Harpers Ferry district's rate for school bonds will be 7 cents, 4 cents and 28 cents, while the Shepherdstown district levy is set at 4 cents, 8 cents and 16 cents.

Hospital Lost \$28,700 in 1933

Hagerstown, Md., March 12 (Spl.).—The hospital here incurred a loss of \$28,700 during the last fiscal year, Superintendent Milton Bergey shows in his report. The expenditures were \$108,477.56 and the income \$77,287.44.

Hospital service represented 43.7 per cent of the total loss of the 2,344 patients admitted during the year, 1,024 paid nothing. The report also revealed that 67 per cent of those who did not pay were residents of Hagerstown and that the city contributed but \$1,000 annually to the institution, while the State gives \$10,000 and the county \$2,000.

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Leader of Methodists Is Dead in Bluefield

Bluefield, W. Va., March 12 (Spl.).—The Rev. Thomas Stock Hamilton, 66, a leader in the Methodist Episcopal Church South, died yesterday from a heart attack.

The Rev. Mr. Hamilton was a former member of the General Conference of his denomination and served nine years on the church general board of finance. Lately, he was pastor of Trinity Church here.

Roosters Haunt Cash Box

Bill for \$490 Presented to Frederick County by Owner of 55 Game Cocks Killed by Stray Dogs; Board Considers Court Fight.

Middletown, Md., March 12 (Spl.).—Can Frederick County taxpayers be held liable for damage done to chickens by stray dogs, which are not assessable, and therefore yield no income to the county?

The Frederick County Board of Commissioners may call on the Frederick County Court to decide that question, for the Commissioners are reluctant to pay J. A. Kidwiler, of near Frederick, \$490, which he demands, claiming that stray dogs killed 55 of his finest game chickens.

Mr. Kidwiler's claim discloses that game cocks can hold their own against each other, but not against dogs. Kidwiler demands payment from the county commissioners under the county dog license law, which provides that live stock killed or injured by stray dogs shall be paid for out of dog license fees.

Dog Revenue Declines.

Kidwiler's loss was appraised by Richard F. Nallin, a former American League baseball umpire; Claude W. Zimmerman and Edward R. Cunningham, as follows:

Twenty-four stags, \$5 each; 26 cocks, \$10 each; 4 brood cocks, \$25 each, 1 brood hen, \$10; total, \$490. The appraisal was sworn to before Justice Guy K. Motter, Frederick.

Revenue from dog licenses has declined heavily in recent years, while demands for restitution of stock killed by stray dogs is increasing annually, John W. Holter, president of the commissioners, says.

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The Rev. Mr. Hamilton was a former member of the General Conference of his denomination and served nine years on the church general board of finance. Lately, he was pastor of Trinity Church here.

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Richmond, March 12 (Spl.).—John W. Carter, former Commonwealth's attorney of Danville, is gravely ill here with angina pectoris.

His wife, Mrs. Mary Carter, is at his side. Mr. Carter was observing the closing session of the General Assembly when he became ill.

Former Sheriff Dies.

Morgantown, W. Va., March 12 (Spl.).—Funeral services for William Harvey Brand, former sheriff of Monongalia County, were held yesterday at Mount Union Church, with the Rev. Julius Fischback officiating.

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CWA Projects At 2 Airports In State Begun

25 Men Working on Tract at Culpeper; 28 Busy at Waynesboro.

Culpeper, Va., March 12 (Sp.).—The Town Council of Culpeper has leased from A. R. and Eunice Partlow 100 acres of land for an airport, as a CWA project. Twenty-five men began work on the project today.

The contract is for five years, renewable, and carries an option for purchase at \$50 an acre.

The actual work of establishing the airport will be done by the Federal Government at an approximate outlay of \$15,000.

Other CWA projects in Culpeper County nearing completion are that of the National Cemetery, where 40 men were employed six weeks and recently reduced to half that number; the work at the county and where 11 persons were engaged in a survey of the tax records. Those on school projects have been reduced proportionately. Approximately 175 men are still engaged on CWA projects where work has been held up by weather.

Port Work Begun

Waynesboro, Va., March 12 (Sp.).—Valley Airport, pioneer landing field in this section of the State, was the scene of much activity today when the CWA began a development project there which will cost \$4,000 and consume 16,000 work hours.

Augusta County CWA Administrator Ree Ellis assigned 28 men, 3 trucks and 2 teams to grading and draining the field, improving the hangar and construction work on the roadway leading to the field.

16 Girls to Take Part In Chancellors Minstrel

Chancellor, Va., March 12 (Sp.).—A chorus of 16 girls will sing in the minstrel show at Chancellor High School Friday night. Comedians will be "Deaves" and "Flint," who will discuss the European debt; "Elliott," who will recite poetry composed by himself; and "Cootie" and "Barnes" and "January," who will tell jokes.

Evangelist Concludes Charles Town Revival

Charles Town, W. Va., March 12 (Sp.).—Presbyterian revival services ended a two-week program last night with addresses by the Rev. R. Williams, of Atlanta. His subjects were "Religion and the Home," in the afternoon, and "The Willingness and Power of Christ to Save," in the evening.

DIED.—On Sunday, March 11, 1934, JAMES FRANCIS, beloved son of James M. and Agnes Barker, died at the residence of his parents, 1217 Pennsylvania avenue, on Wednesday, March 14, at 11 a. m. Interment at Rock Creek Cemetery.

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Starts 8th Term



J. L. WALDECK

was reelected mayor of Shepherdstown, W. Va., for his eighth consecutive term in the annual election yesterday. With him were reelected other officials who served during the past year. Recorder, A. S. Lucas; Councilmen, W. H. S. White, W. W. Waddy, A. E. Bonwell, D. H. Tabler and J. H. Robinson. There was no organized opposition.

Robert Hall Heads Staunton Academy

Succeeds Col. Sutherland at End of Term.

Richmond, March 12 (Sp.).—Appointment of Robert Tremaine Hall as superintendent of Staunton Military Academy was announced today by the board of trustees.

Mr. Hall, who has been head master at Englewood School for Boys, Easton, N. Y., for six years, succeeds Col. Lefoy Sutherland, who resigned, but will remain a member of the faculty. The appointment is effective at the end of the present term.

Stack Stolen

Hay in Field Taken, and Arrested Man Shot.

Roanoke, Va., March 12 (Sp.).—Some time ago Sam Vinyard, of Vinton, missed a stack of hay from his farm. He found that some one had taken the hay and sold it to a Roanoke feed concern. Police, suspected a Negro and Detective J. B. Jennings sought to arrest him. In a scuffle, the officer shot the Negro in the thigh.

Suburb Seeks High School.
Roanoke, Va., March 11 (Sp.).—Plans for a high school in the community will be discussed by the Virginia Heights-Raleigh Court Civic League tomorrow night.

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Charles Town Church School Begins Classes

Week's Training Offered Methodist Workers Under Dr. Sherman.

Charles Town, W. Va., March 12 (Sp.).—Classes in the Southern Methodist Standard Training School for Christian Workers began today. It will last a week. Officers and teachers of all the denominations in Jefferson County are invited.

Courses offered are "The Spirit and Genius of Methodism," "The Teachings of Jesus," and "Pupil Study." They will be conducted by the Rev. H. H. Sherman, D. D., executive secretary of the Baltimore Conference Board of Christian Education; the Rev. H. Sydenhacker, pastor of the Winchester Methodist Episcopal Church South, and the Rev. John S. Schwartz, pastor of the Springfield (W. Va.) Church.

Churches participating in the school are those of Charles Town, Jefferson, Shenandoah, Shenandoah Junction and Shepherdstown. Officers in charge are Dr. Sherman, educational director; the Rev. J. M. Rosenberg, Charles Town pastor, chairman; J. W. Irwin, Charles Town, registrar, and the Rev. A. A. McNeer, Shenandoah Junction, librarian and secretary-treasurer. The managing board consists of Mr. Rosenberg, Mr. McNeer, the Rev. W. D. Eys, Joshua Clipp, J. B. Hedrick, J. W. Irwin, B. W. John, W. W. E. Whitmore, R. L. Satterfield, E. M. Whitaker and Milton Burr.

Roanoke Schools Expecting \$161,025

\$75,000 Increase in State Funds Estimated.

Roanoke, Va., March 12 (Sp.).—D. E. McQuilkin, city school superintendent, says Roanoke will receive \$161,025 from the State school fund during the fiscal year ending July, 1935.

This would be \$75,000 more than received last year.

The estimate is arrived at by allowing 339 teachers for the 13,570 pupils. The State funds allotment is based on a quota of \$475 per teacher.

Canning Mark Set By Virginia Women

Waynesboro, Va., March 12 (Sp.).

Western women could learn about canning from Augusta County housewives, according to a news dispatch about a Kansas woman who allegedly set a new record by canning 500 jars of fruits and vegetables.

Mrs. J. H. Harner and Mrs. Samueller, of this city, canned more than 1,000 jars of foodstuffs apiece last year, and two other members of the local club canned more than 800 jars.

Since the Waynesboro Club is only one of 15 in this county, it is believed that a number of other women in this county canned as many as 1,000 jars.

James H. Strickling Dies at Huntington

Huntington, W. Va., March 12 (Sp.).—Victim of a heart attack, James Henry Strickling, 69, former speaker of the House of Delegates, is dead at his home here. His funeral will be held tomorrow.

Strickling practiced law here until his retirement in 1931 and was active in Republican politics. He formerly served as prosecuting attorney of Tyler County. The widow, two sons and five brothers survive.

Wants to Wed

Widower, 46, Asks Mayor to Find Wife.

Fredericksburg, Va., March 12 (Sp.).—"Go West, young woman, go West," if you would be married, is the implied invitation of George O. Strand, of Carlisle, N. Mex., who has written Mayor R. J. Payne here for help in finding a mate. The letter says:

"I am a lonesome widower, no children, seeking a life mate, so ask your aid to help make my wants known to the lonesome women of your city of some means or ability. I am an American, born January 28, 1888. I am a painter, paperhanger, and glazier, willing to get married on a short notice. My height is 5 feet 7½ inches, weight about 150 pounds, have brown eyes and black hair. A lover of clean sports, also a home. Please hand this card to a live reporter to aid."

Slayer Given 15 Years

Fairmont, W. Va., March 12 (Sp.).—Judge Charles E. Miller, in Marion County Criminal Court, sentenced Henry Hall, 39, colored, to 15 years in the penitentiary, following conviction of second-degree murder in the death of Susie Collins, also colored.

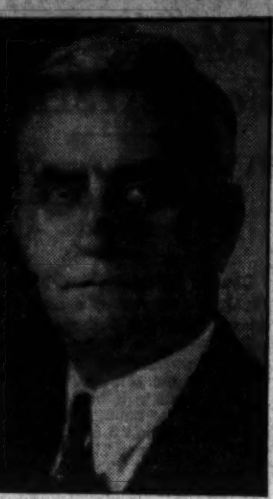
Sale Indorsed for Senate

Clarksburg, W. Va., March 12 (Sp.).—C. A. Blankenship, of Pineville, chairman of the Wyoming County Democratic executive committee, announced adoption of a resolution indorsing Graham Sale, of Welch, for United States Senator. Sale, however, has not announced his candidacy.

W. T. Gates New Chairman

Grafton, W. Va., March 12 (Sp.).—The Taylor County Democratic executive committee announces appointment of William J. Gates, of Flemington, as chairman. He succeeds Fred E. Gates, also of Flemington, who recently resigned, owing to press of private affairs.

Political Strategist



Gov. GEORGE C. PEERY.

whose political stock has reached a new high following his legislative victories in the face of strong opposition during the session of the Virginia General Assembly, which has just closed.

Governor Wins Wide Acclaim

New Executive's Defeat of Tax Bloc Praised; Gains Prestige.

By Doug Warrenfels.

Richmond, March 12.—Legislative achievements have caused the political stock of Virginia's new Governor, George C. Peery, to soar by leaps and bounds.

Now that the Assembly has adjourned and politicians have time to reflect on the swift-moving events of the past month they are beginning to have great respect for the statesmanship of the soft-spoken lawyer from Tazewell now guiding State affairs. The first few weeks after Gov. Peery's inauguration in January must have been a nightmare to the executive. Every thing he suggested drew a storm of protest from the anvil chorus of veterans in both the House and Senate.

Minimum School Term

When Gov. Peery announced his original program for \$1,000,000 in new taxes to assure a minimum eight-month school term, criticism assumed hurricane proportions. The most vociferous objector was Senator W. A. Garrett, Ridgeway, finance committee chairman and an Assembly Big Bertha.

There was no let-up in the wall when the Governor trimmed his new taxes to some \$700,000 at the request of Senator Harry F. Byrd, Senator Garrett and other opponents in both Houses continued to broadcast their argument that the best way out would be for the State to borrow money.

On all sides predictions were freely made that the Governor would accede to the demands in gold grain or suffer a stern rebuke at the hands of the Legislature—a setback which might easily bring to an abrupt end his long career in public office.

Despite the hue and cry, Gov. Peery stuck to his guns. He repeatedly warned the tax program must pass. And pass it did. After weeks of delay both Houses accorded the program a substantial majority. The Governor's victory was sweet, as it meant he had won the unflinching support of teachers and parents.

Emerges Victorious

Gray-haired solons agreed the Governor's decisive stroke was without parallel in the past quarter of a century. Never before had a Governor crossed swords with such a powerful legislative bloc and emerged victorious.

Politicians also attached significance to gubernatorial verdicts in several other sharp tests of strength. He put through a minimum salary of \$475 a year for school teachers, he blocked mandatory State liquor manufacture, he crushed efforts to alter materially his \$82,000,000 budget proposal, and he obtained authority to pay road board members \$7,500 a year.

All challenges routed, the Governor ultimately wrested from the Legislature broad power to fight the depression as he may see fit through bureau consolidations, salary reductions and other retrenchments, if necessary.

Virginia Legion Official Honored for Increase

Roanoke, Va., March 12 (Sp.).—Homer K. Bowen, State commander of the American Legion, was the principal speaker at a legion rally here today by local post No. 3.

The program included presentation of a medal by the commander to W. E. Bell, vice commander of the Department of Virginia. Mr. Bell's district leads the State in membership.

Lynchburg Horse Show Scheduled on April 28

Lynchburg, Va., March 12 (Sp.).—The annual horse show sponsored by the Junior League will be held April 28.

Twenty classes are to be judged. A feature will be a show of vehicles used in the "gay 90s." Julian C. Smith, of Warrenton, will be judge and R. V. Martindale, of Sweet Briar, manager. The arrangements are in charge of J. M. B. Lewis.

Danville Woman's Will Disposes of \$27,600

Danville, Va., March 12 (Sp.).—The will of Mrs. E. K. Jones, widow of a prominent Danville tobacco dealer, probated here, bequeaths property valued at \$27,600 to her daughters, Mrs. Agnes Withers and Mrs. Smith Richardson.

She also provided for her grandchild, Bartlett Kyle Jones.

Bruce Opposes Flannagan; Hot Fight Assured

Former Virginia Senator Seeks Nomination for Congress.

Bristol, Va., March 12 (Sp.).—John W. Flannagan, jr., representative from the Ninth Virginia District, faces a fight for renomination in the Democratic convention to be held here Saturday.

A delegation yesterday visited former State Senator Robert P. Bruce at Wise, and persuaded him to become a candidate.

Bruce's friends began work immediately, and Tazewell County Democrats, at a mass meeting, rejected a resolution to instruct the delegation for Flannagan, and adopt a resolution that the delegates be uninstructed. Announcement was made later at the Tazewell meeting of the Bruce candidacy.

Bruce supporters last night claimed they would carry the Wise County delegation, and that there was a ground-swell of support for the former State Senator.

Washington and Lee County delegations were instructed for Flannagan, while delegations from Pulaski, Smyth and Scott Counties were not instructed.

Precinct mass meetings were held in a number of counties and reports last night indicated only the Washington and Lee County delegations will be instructed for Flannagan.

M. J. Malamphy, 72, Ireland Native, Dies

Cumberland Cattle Breeder Founded Bottling Plant.

Cumberland, Md., March 12 (Sp.).—Michael J. Malamphy, 72, native of Ireland and noted as a breeder of Shetland ponies and thoroughbred cattle, died yesterday at his home, Lakewood Farm, near here.

Mr. Malamphy founded the Malamphy Bottling Works here. He was twice married and besides his widow, Minnie L. Gooding Malamphy, he is survived by the following children: Michael J. Malamphy, jr., attorney, Washington; Mark E. Malamphy, Rio de Janeiro; George E. Malamphy, Fredericksburg, Va.; Mrs. C. E. Whitehead, Pittsburgh; Dorothy and Ruth Malamphy, at home; Thomas J. Malamphy, this city; Mary and Grace Malamphy, Washington, and Mrs. Eleanor Fulton, Cleveland, Ohio.

Forrest A. Brown Acts as Executor

Charles Town, Va., March 12 (Sp.).—Forrest A. Brown has qualified as executor of the will of his father, the late Forrest W. Brown, former Jefferson County prosecuting attorney, and gave bond for \$10,000.

W. F. Alexander, L. G. Albin and James K. Hendricks were named appraisers. L. C. Briscoe is commissioner of accounts.

The estate of the late Daniel Z. Royer will be administered by his widow, Bessie M. Royer, who has qualified with a bond of \$3,000. M. McG. Shirley will act as commissioner of accounts. Appraisers will be W. A. Faulk, J. E. Tabb, R. Stanley Dutrow and C. P. Engle.

Colonial Beach Dance.

Colonial Beach, Va., March 12 (Sp.).—A dance will be given by the Board of Trade in the Colonial Beach Hotel Easter Monday, April 2.

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Horses Gaining In Farm Favor Due to Slump

Marylanders Turn Again to Dobbin, Giving Up Use of Tractors.

Hagerstown, Md., March 12 (Sp.).—Rising prices of horses at farm sales here this winter indicate the horse is regaining favor, said County Farm Agent Milton D. Moore.

More farmers are beginning to use the horse than since 1910, when there were 11,300 horses on farms in Washington County, he said. Twenty years later there were but 8,045 and a slight decrease was noted since, until this winter, when the decrease stopped and their popularity was observed again.

County Agent Moore attributes the sudden turn to the depression. When farmers were prosperous they purchased tractors. But during the depression the tractors wore out and many were not replaced, and the farmers began to discover that the horse was almost as good to work land of the type found in this county. Outcroppings of rocks on almost all farms made it difficult to plow by machinery.

Now that farmers are forced to practice economy, they find the reliable horse cheap. They say they can raise their own feed, but if they use tractors they must spend cash.

Horse breeding was not carried on extensively during the tractor era. Now that the prices of good horses are about one-third higher than in 1933, farmers will pay more attention to breeding them, Moore believes.

Rarely are horses and buggies seen here, but during the last year several have been tied up in the parking spaces in the public square, a reminder of familiar scenes of long ago.

Horse Show Officers Re-elected.

Upperville, Va., March 12 (Sp.).—The Upperville Colt and Horse Show Association, in annual meeting, elected C. Butler, vice president, to replace Waugh Glascock, and added five new members to the board of directors.

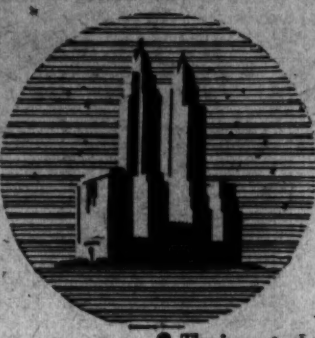
Officers reelected are Thomas Atkinson, jr., president; R. S. Peach, secretary and treasurer; Joshua Fletcher, manager, and W. F. Peach, assistant manager.

The new directors are J. B. Skinner, B. Basil Hall and Henry Frost, jr., of Middleburg, and R. S. Peach and George Robert Slater, of Upperville. Directors who were reelected are Thomas Atkinson, jr., J. C. Butler, H. Rozier Dulany, W. G. Fletcher, Joshua Fletcher, S. E. Holliday, H. M. Luttrell, Dr. C. D. Langhorne, Dr. A. C. Randolph and T. J. Ross.

The forty-fourth exhibition will be held June 14-15.

Dance in Fredericksburg.

Fredericksburg, Va., March 12 (Sp.).—A ceremonial dance tomorrow night in the Elks' ballroom will be presented by the Abaca Grotto as a preliminary to the C. W. Jones memorial exercises to be held here March 21.



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Snuff Said.

London society people have revived the snuff-taking habit of their forefathers, a London dispatch tells us. This ought to be welcome news for those who, when antiques were in the mode, concentrated upon the acquisition of snuff boxes. Perhaps impoverished collectors may now be able to sell the things, in London, to the new snuff-takers. Some of those boxes were gaudy affairs, painted by the best of the miniature painters of the late 17th and early 18th centuries, others were of gold, enamel, even jade. These were used by Lords and Ladies; common folk carried their snuff in wooden or brass boxes, such as can still be found in our own South. A real snuff-taking family decorated the living room with a snuff, or ram's head container for the powdery tobacco.

Before snuff became a universal addiction it came in a form much like our plug tobacco and the inveterate snuff taker had to carry a grater with him wherever he went. This gives modern decorators a chance. No doubt very soon Fifth avenue, or even Connecticut avenue, will have modern snuff-takers in the swankier shop windows. If the snuff-taking habit spreads to Washington what a courtly old town this might become. Suggestions: Senators in knee breeches; congressmen in cloaks; words for diplomats; carriages instead of taxis; pigs again on the Capitol steps, and just for the sake of realism, some Indians here and there. Madeira rum, of course, and the return of spittoons. Let's go the whole way, even if it means tribute to the principles of Thomas Jefferson. As a discarded antique they seem as worthy of restoration as do snuff boxes.

Justified Bewilderment.

A reader of The Post, living in the Canal Zone, is puzzled by certain conflicting objectives of the recovery program. He writes to ask why it is proposed to transfer people living in cities to farms when our domestic markets are already overburdened with surplus crops. That question suggests another one: namely, how are we to find export markets for our products, if prices are advanced in accordance with the Administration's desires.

The transfer of urban populations to farming districts need not increase agricultural surpluses, if the newcomers are prevented from growing crops which are already overproduced. Then, too, if labor is withdrawn from depressed areas, the chances are that these regions will benefit from the removal of parasite groups, with the result that the purchasing power of the rest of the inhabitants will be increased. At the same time, the transplanted elements will help to increase the demand for all kinds of goods, if they are afforded an opportunity to make a living for themselves. Of course a haphazard transfer of people back to the soil would defeat constructive possibilities. The outcome depends entirely upon the way in which the program is executed.

The second question asked by our correspondent implies a critical appraisal of our price-raising policies which shows that the questioner is competent to find an answer without assistance. It is, or should be, obvious that the United States can not find export markets for domestic products if prices are raised above those at which similar articles can be bought from competitors. Commodities which satisfy demands that can not be fully met by other countries—such as cotton—will continue to be exported, although in lessened volume, even if prices rise sharply. But markets for replaceable exports, such as wheat, may be irrevocably lost. Of course this reasoning assumes that advances in dollar prices are not offset by the lowered gold-exchange value of the dollar. With these reservations, a domestic price-raising program is plainly incompatible with efforts to expand our export trade.

Questions of this sort do not betray ignorance, as our correspondent implies. On the contrary, they show a keen appreciation of various troublesome inconsistencies in the recovery program.

Tranquillity?

Fourteen Japanese soldiers have been slain in a fierce battle with "bandits" in Manchukuo, an official Tokyo communiqué reveals. It is scarcely a fortnight since Henry Pu Yi was crowned emperor of that unrecognized nation. And the news that a force of Chinese, estimated at 500 strong, were able to inflict such punishment on veteran Japanese troops, slaying two officers in the bargain, is not indicative of peace in the torn province where the youthful Emperor Kang Teh, "the tranquil one," now reigns.

Manchukuo is a wild country, offering wide scope to the Chinese guerrilla leaders

whom the Japanese are anxious to classify as "bandits." The mere presence of a new emperor does not mean that all will be peaceful in the realm over which Japanese bayonets have raised him. The coronation, evidently, has not meant the end of the irregular warfare with which Tokyo must contend.

In spite of the killing of the colonel of the Japanese regiment, says the dispatch from Tokyo, "the regimental flag was saved." That language indicates opposition of a character different from that which one would expect from banditry—opposition which helps to explain why the independence of Manchukuo continues to be unrecognized.

The Challenge To Industry.

Those who talk vaguely about the advent of economic planning under the NRA need constant reminders of the enormous difficulty in charting the course of industry so as to provide for the needs of a dynamic society. So far, the Administration's efforts have been directed primarily toward re-employment of workers by shortening hours and raising wage rates. This may be magnificent, but it certainly is not planning in any real sense of the word. It is, rather, the application of desperate remedies to a desperate disease.

The extent to which we fall short of anything remotely resembling a planned economy is indicated by the fact that efforts to reabsorb idle workers must be carried forward without any accurate information concerning numbers out of work or re-employed to date. It is estimated that nearly 4,000,000 persons have been restored to private employment since last March. Some of the gains undoubtedly are due to the spreading of work through shorter hours under code regulations. In the case of the textile and automobile industries, however, large increases in employment preceded adoption of codes, so that it is impossible to say how far a reduction of hours may have been effective in creating employment. How much a further reduction would achieve is even more questionable.

Official suggestions so far have been limited to urging further reductions in working hours without corresponding cuts in pay. It has been hinted that if industry fails to respond to this plea, Congress may pass a 30-hour bill applicable to all industries, or the Administration may wield the big stick which the recovery act has placed at its disposal. At this critical juncture the representatives of industry must be prepared to offer constructive suggestions to avert destructive interference in their affairs. To them is passed the responsibility for planning.

Yet it is quite obvious to anybody with an eye to realities that many industries can not reduce hours of labor without increases in production costs that would necessitate advances in selling prices. Moreover, many heavy industries in which a great part of unemployment concentrates can do little by spreading a small amount of work over a somewhat larger body of workers. In some cases, no doubt, concessions in matters of hours and rates of pay are feasible and should be made even though the outcome may be disappointing. For retardation of business is likely if higher labor costs bring prices which check consumer buying.

Two committees, representing the code authorities for consumers' goods and for durable capital goods, are at present grappling with these complicated problems. Instead of devising ingenious plans for forcing employers in the depressed capital-goods industries to hire more men, spokesmen for these groups are urging revision of the securities act and assurance that the drastic stock exchange regulatory bill will be radically modified.

These are constructive suggestions designed to revive a dormant demand for capital goods by encouraging investment activity. Of course such proposals offer no solution for those fundamental problems created by excess industrial capacity in certain lines, and a lack of balance between industry and agriculture. But since we do not know the ultimate goal of our so-called economic planning, any program of immediate action is necessarily circumscribed and opportunistic. Definition of the goal at which we aim is obviously prerequisite to the development of far-reaching plans to take us there.

Allen Sinclair Will.

As a journalist in Baltimore and Washington, Dr. Allen Sinclair Will always looked upon his profession as one which demanded every ounce of intellectual energy he was able to give it. In whatever capacity he was acting he felt that he must live up to the highest standards. It was this insistence, which he carried with him when he began a separate career as a teacher, that enabled him to become one of the most respected members of his craft.

As much as any one else, Dr. Will raised the school of journalism to an important place in the field of general education. He believed that a newspaperman should be trained for his profession even as a lawyer or a doctor is for his. He always argued that journalism was, in itself, a daily contribution to real literature.

Dr. Will distinguished himself through his biography of Cardinal Gibbons and his acute criticisms of historical works. He felt nevertheless that his best labor was done for the columns of newspapers. He liked good, clear, intelligent writing; he was an objective commentator on current happenings; he was intensely interested in the motives of human beings, and he was sympathetic toward all aspirations, whether they succeeded or failed. He looked upon the world without rancor, saying that, after all, it was the opinions and emotions of the times that made news currently, and history eventually. It was his business to present, and later to teach others to present, word pictures of the American scene that, in all its terrifying complexities, becomes daily clarified in the columns of the

press through the intelligent efforts of hundreds of men and women who, like Dr. Will, take their work seriously and the world as a whole with a grain of salt.

The Conference at Rome.

That very strong sense of realism which has guided Premier Mussolini's previous moves in the fabric of his newest product, the projected political and economic alliance between Italy, Hungary and Austria. It is perfectly safe to assume that whatever concessions he makes to the two small remnants of the Austro-Hungarian empire in the economic field will be paid for by political concessions on their part.

Mussolini is friendly enough to German Fascism, as long as German Fascism comes no farther south than the Zugspitze. He does not want it at the Brenner Pass, or above Trieste. Since it has been making seven-league strides in this direction, through developments of recent months, the only way he can stop it is to swing Austria and Hungary to Italian Fascism. He has little or nothing to gain from an economic alliance with Austria or Hungary. They are as poor as church mice. They offer Italy no great market for anything. If it were trade that Mussolini wanted, there are a dozen other nations that he could more profitably cultivate.

Nor would Mussolini gain anything by a military alliance. Neither Hungary nor Austria has an army bigger than a midge in comparison with those of other powers. What Mussolini would gain in military strength by such a grouping would be more than neutralized by the irritation he would set up in France, Germany and Yugoslavia.

All Il Duce stands to gain is to keep a buffer between himself and the surging Nazis from the north. His own newspaper is quoted as saying that he realizes that territorial changes can be made only by war and maintained with "bitter suspicion and alarm." In other words, he does not propose to attack the basic problem in Central Europe. In suggesting a political and economic alliance with Austria and Hungary, under which they would benefit economically, he is throwing the weight of Italy's influence behind Austrian and Hungarian Fascism in order to stop the German Fascists.

Such diplomacy, though it may ward off less desirable developments and be temporarily successful, has in it little of permanent constructive value. It is not through kaleidoscopic political alignments that Europe will find the path to economic reconstruction.

A Poet Rebuked.

"But I do think," said a young poet, in an interview in yesterday's Post, "that after the first fire has died out, the greatest poetry is written."

Do you, indeed? Miss Poet, have you ever read about a man named Wordsworth? They used to think he was a rather good poet, back in the days when William Hazlitt and his off-and-on friend Charles Lamb were on the scene. They still do, judging by the interminable controversy that rages around him in academic circles, and by the numerous critical biographies that have been written in recent years. He, too, thought that the greatest poetry was written after the first fire had died out. But he was wrong.

Wordsworth came out of the University to write his ballads, just at the time that the French revolution was coming off. He, like other romantic young Englishmen, went to France. The first fire was burning brightly. He met Annette Vallon, as you may recall, Miss Poet, and with his heart on fire, the smoke got in his eyes. He wrote some pretty good poetry in those days. Among those written before the fire had all died away, was one called "The Prelude; or Growth of a Poet's Mind." Have you ever read it? And you found it pretty dull? Strange, for it is one of the great, philosophical poems of all times.

After the fire had dwindled, and he had walked too much with Dorothy, and talked too much with Coleridge, and Annette was lost with her child in France, and he had married Sarah, he rewrote "The Prelude." That is why it is thought dull today. The first fire had died out. It is always the way with poets. Shelley, Keats, Coleridge and all down the list. No, it is the first fire that forges great poetry. That which is written in the charcoal is almost always dull.

A psychologist says that at the present rate of increase in insanity, every one will be crazy by 2139. Another theory is that all of us are so crazy now no one is sane enough to notice it.

Add indications of returning normalcy: Several banks have been robbed recently by outsiders.

Mile Posts

A Parade of the Past From the Files of The Post.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY.

WALTER HINES PAGE, American Ambassador to Great Britain, was made the target of an inquiry by a resolution, adopted by the Senate to investigate alleged public assertions by the Ambassador in which he said the Monroe doctrine merely means "the United States would prefer that no European governments would gain more land in the New World."

A HOUSE SUBCOMMITTEE on the legislative appropriation bill voted to abolish the annual mileage allowance and to provide only actual traveling expenses for members and their families.

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY.

DATING FROM the first of January, more than a million dollars worth of surplus war materials were sold by the United States to the Oregon government in Mexico. THE ESTABLISHMENT of a banking credit of not less than \$100,000,000 in favor of the Bank of France was arranged by an American banking group, headed by J. P. Morgan & Co. The loan was fully secured by gold held in the vaults of the Bank of France.

AUSTRIA WAS REBUKED by the council of the League of Nations because, after having balanced their budget, the Austrians wanted to free themselves from league control.



The Wooden Pistol.

Letters to the Editor

Justified Bewilderment.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Your editorials are always so enlightening, and in such low gauge that the "men on Main Street" may understand, and I am asking, in behalf of many inquirers, that you give us whatever explanation may be possible on the following questions:

(1) As our domestic markets are already overburdened with surplus crops, why is it proposed to send large numbers of our urban population to the farms unmistakably increasing the production and adding to the surplus?

(2) Should the prices of our products advance materially, to meet the wish of our experts and in response to the efforts of the Administration, where shall we find an export market, having to compete with countries having a lower price level?

If you can throw such light on these matters that a wayfarer man, though a fool, may understand, you will greatly oblige this subscriber and others. C. E. JORDAN, Cristobal, Canal Zone, March 4.

Athletics and the Negro.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Last summer Americans thrilled when Tolan and Metcalf, two black phantoms, flashed across the finish line leading the best sprinters of the world in two premier events on the Olympic program. At the A. A. U. games a week ago in New York, Madison Square Garden saw three Negro sprinters—Metcalf, of Marquette; Ben Johnson, of Columbia; and Jesse Owens, of Ohio State—win the dash event from the cream of the talent in this country. In the same games, Owens, who broke the world record in the indoor broad jump; Peacock, of Temple, and Brooks, of Illinois, three Negroes, took the first three places.

For two decades, colored jumpers have held all the world records and won all the big first places in the broad jump with the exception of the wins of LeGendre, of Georgia, and Hamm, of Georgia Tech. A number of inquirers have sought to solve the riddle of the supremacy of Negro broad jumpers. Would one venture the opinion that the colored athlete is more virile? Does his relatively closer contact with the primitive life of the soil serve as a factor? Are the emotional or glandular qualities of this amalgamated American product stronger than in other mixtures? Perhaps the explanation lies in the Biblical adage, "Man grows weaker as he grows wiser."

E. B. HENDERSON, Falls Church, Va., Mar. 6.

Rural Free Delivery.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: At this time when there is so much being said about the expenditures of the Postoffice Department exceeding revenues, it may not be remiss to give some of the causes of the enormous increase. One of these is the great burden the department is carrying in maintaining the rural free delivery service. After a survey of 33 rural routes, it was found that the expenditures in various parts of the country, it was estimated, that the revenues were barely a fifteenth of the cost of maintenance. Yet there is to be no curtailment in rural delivery service.

If our Washington City Postoffice is a sample of the many other first-class offices, then it is fair to say that much of the high cost of maintenance could be obviated by a reduction in supervising personnel.

There are 15 assistant superintendents of mails, many of whom add not one of the efficiency. There are 12 carrier route inspectors who have been advanced to higher salaries when one-half of that number could easily cover the city. Fourteen special clerks have been bestowed on persons doing nothing but what an eighth grade pupil can do.

A RETIRED EMPLOYEE.

Rockville, Md., Mar. 6.

The Post welcomes letters from its readers.

All communications must be signed with the writer's name and address. Upon publication initials or pen names will be used if requested. Letters over 250 words are subject to condensation.

Ogden Mills.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Of Ogden Mills and his effusion over "individual liberty," the same comment may be made that I directed at William Barnes, Republican boss of Albany, in an editorial in the Albany Times-Union in 1915 just after Barnes had rehearsed his political opinions to the New York State constitutional convention. By substituting the name of Mills for that of Barnes, the editorial is as applicable now as it was then.

There is only one essential difference between the philosophy promulgated by William Barnes (Ogden Mills) and that of the dyed-in-the-wool advocates of anarchism. Both are champions of absolute freedom of the individual, unhampered by restrictions imposed by a "tyrannical majority." Barnes (Mills) looks at the subject from the standpoint of the big interests, all of which hotly resent any interference with or abridgement of their "individual liberty," their "freedom of contract" and their "property rights." The typical anarchist, philosophic of militant, looks at the subject from the standpoint of the poor devil who also feels that he has a perfect right to do as he pleases, regardless of legal limitations.

"Protection of individual rights, to the reactionary mind of Barnes (Mills), is simply protection thrown around the individual or group of individuals who gain wealth or power by robbing and wronging others."

"Liberty! What prostitution of the word! As Blackstone said, 'Every man when he enters into society gives up a part of his natural liberty as the price of so valuable a purchase and in consideration of receiving the advantages of mutual commerce, obligated himself to conform to those laws which the community has thought proper to establish.'" LINN A. E. GALE, Washington, Feb. 24.

Judge Not.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Recently a tiny baby boy was laid away in Glenwood Cemetery after a feeble struggle for existence at Gallinger Hospital. The story of its desertion pulled out our heart strings. What seemed to stand out, however, was the motive delinquency. Realizing that the child was a victim of circumstantial evidence, I wish to ask: Was there absolute proof that the woman who left the infant had been a relative of the father or mother or a friend, or a person with whom the child had been left with previously and who could not or would not care for it longer?

What about the parents? Were they dead? Cowards, both of them? Or was the mother, married or unmarried, left to carry the burden alone and perhaps found the course preferable to taking her own life or the child's or both? Let no one judge the woman under the circumstances and forget that there was a man in the case. Whatever the facts, our hearts ache for little children like John Doe.

ROSE ARNOLD POWELL, Washington, Mar. 6.

Elder Michaux's Work.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: I was very much impressed with the work of Elder Michaux. It is worthy of note, not only with his church on the air, but the feeding and housing of so many of Washington's needy. Why not give a word of praise? We need more Elder Solomon Lightfoot Michauxs.

MRS. W. W. GRANT, North Woodside, Md., Feb. 27.

A Hint for NRA.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: It is very noticeable that some people do not understand the essence of the NRA, and as Gen. Johnson has given every one a chance to offer suggestions to improve on the NRA, I wish to submit the following:

We have many difficult professions, so I will take the first one that comes into my mind as an example of what I believe would help us. Say there is a dentist who has been successful at his profession and has accumulated enough so he could retire; this would make a job for one of his own profession who is out of work.

He may say that he would be idle for something to do. Now he has plenty of money to live on, he could adopt some orphan child and use some of his money to raise this orphan, and give him or her an education. He would be heart and soul interested in this orphan and I am sure he would feel better doing that, and he would at the same time give a job to one of his own profession who would perhaps pattern after him when his time came to do so.

This could be applied to all professions, and I personally know that God will bless anybody who follows this, very especially a Christian. JOHN GERRY, Washington, Feb. 22.

Answering Mr. Quinn.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: If Mr. John N. Quinn's opinion of the British is typical of the Irish mind, life for some people must be miserable. The honest opinion of a good American citizen is, we are all brothers, as God so intended. It is true, some of us hold ourselves liable to be misunderstood by our British brethren, but I think, at times men put forward an opinion then, look about for means of strengthening himself and others in it. Usually men avail themselves of the truth so long as it is serviceable, but he seizes on what is false as soon as he can make use of it.

MAX WELTON, Washington, Feb. 24.

As Others See It

"Japan Steps In."

The editorial in The Washington Post of Friday, entitled "Japan Steps In," was read and commended by the Rev. Russell J. Clinchy, minister of the Mount Pleasant Congregational Church, in his sermon on Sunday morning in that church. Mr. Clinchy said in part:

"Some of the tension of life which religion creates is an awareness of the realities in the social order such as the situations which lead to future wars. A naval race is on, and there has been only one end to the naval races between nations in history, and that is war."

"It is necessary, therefore, to listen to the words of The Post when it states that 'an awakened public conscience and a statesman-like approach to this question of arms from the viewpoint of international peace are sorely needed, or else a misguided love of country will give impetus to the race, the course of which leads farther and farther away from continued accord among nations.'"

"These are words of unalloyed wisdom and truth and they need to be pondered and acted upon by every man and woman in America whose religious convictions mean dedication to the faith that peace must be established upon the earth. For one, rejoice that a great newspaper is willing to join with the forward-looking men and women in calling attention to the plans which menace peace and plead for a more rational and religious action upon the part of all nations."

The Post Impressionist

Distinguished Guest.

Postoffice, Tuesday.
 He said: "Happily for Americans, it would be a huge mistake to judge the United States by its Capital City."

Said he: "Baltimore did not make an extremely pleasant impression upon me."

Don't hold either of these utterances too heavily against him. He was an excellent man and was speaking of sights he saw 97 years ago. He was the Milanese Count Francesco Arese. Now his rare journal, "A Trip to the Prairies," has been discovered by Andrew Evans, who gives us its first translation out of the Italian's French into English, the Harbor Press (New York), issuing a far too limited edition. Mr. Evans' version is as admirable as the original and has the rare merit of rendering an old-time and foreign text in a most human way. Arese, at 26, became the friend of Louis Napoleon, later Napoleon III. They were fellow conspirators in the Risorgimento, hunted together in Switzerland, together visited London. When Louis 1836 attempt against the French throne came to grief at Strasbourg and King Louis Philippe shipped the pretender to America, Arese went along. When Louis returned to Europe, after seeing New York from the floor up, Arese decided to see America second. That was in 1837.

He traveled the Mississippi in a dugout, visited the Sioux of the Vermilion River district. He crossed Wisconsin. The authors of "Minnesota in Three Centuries" aver that "not 50 white men had passed over southern Minnesota in 1849." Arese passed over it twelve years before.

But we are tremendous Washingtonians, and we thought of this part of the country is what most interests us.

"The railway to Columbia (Pa.)," he writes, "is worthy of mention because of a large engine designed to haul the cars up and let them down on a part of the line that has a grade of 10 per cent. The big cable was made of hemp from Bologna. . . . The (Baltimore) streets are not handsome, and they are so empty that you could use them for a rifle range without fear of wounding anyone. The most noteworthy things are the monuments. . . . The Washington Monument would be beautiful if the thickness of the pedestal did not spoil it. . . ."

"I had the unhappy idea of going to the theater. No, the liveliest and most daring imagination would be puzzled to form an idea of the Baltimore theater! The darkness was very slightly broken by a few poor yellow candles; but one could not complain too much about that, because the shadows did something to hide the dirtiness of the theater and of the audience, who, to tell the truth, were of the lowest class. . . . Theater-admission in New York costs \$1, at Philadelphia 1/2 and at Baltimore 1/4."

"Baltimore is, in its atmosphere, much more the small town than Philadelphia, and very much more than New York. I met few people, but those I did meet I found most amiable and hospitable."

Arese went from Baltimore to Harpers Ferry; he shares Thomas Jefferson's opinion of the view obtained from the heights there. Praise he has, also, for the railroad. "It is a good example of the Americans' enterprise; and Europeans in general, and Italians in particular, ought certainly to wish to exchange some of their paintings and statues for a few leagues of their railway."

On the boat from Harpers Ferry he "dined and lunched very well; for instance, they gave us ice water, a comfort not to be exaggerated (the month was June) and one found everywhere in America. . . . you can have all the ice you want without there being a single question of paying. The boat is towed by two horses, changed every hour, and she makes 6 miles an hour. The country is lovely."

"I saw the place where there is a quarry of marble called Puddingstone because of its resemblance to that dish. With that stone they have built the Capitol at Washington. I saw the waterfalls of the Potomac, which are inferior to those at Schaffhausen. . . ."

"Washington, except for the President's house and the Capitol, might be called a disappointment. One might strive in vain to find a city. . . . one big street and some houses scattered here and there."

"The Capitol is an immense building, whose principal parts consist of a great rotunda with a dome, the Chamber of Commons—which is not so fine as the one in Paris, or perhaps even the one in Brussels—and the Senate Chamber. . . . on the whole, a fairly handsome building."

"The President's residence makes a pretty good impression. I saw his reception rooms, which are excellently furnished. . . . The house is in the middle of a garden, which is raised about three feet above the surrounding ground and not separated by either walls or fences."

"Guardhouses and sentry-boxes have been entirely forgotten. All you do is knock at the door; a servant tells you without any master of ceremonies, grand chamberlain, grand esquire, or else other anthropophages being required—whether or not the President is at home. In the latter case, a public reception between 10 and noon. The next day, if you feel inclined, it is sufficient to hand in your card and you can have the honor of being presented."

The Count Arese didn't "feel inclined." He left Washington without telling Martin Van Buren what he thought of it. And for this we are sorry, because otherwise we might now be able to dig out of some dusty corner a statement that Martin Van Buren thought of the Count Arese.

Miss Dwight Plans Spring Society Bow

Debut Deferred Since Early Winter, Set March 31.

Entertainments for Her Will Add to Gayety After Easter.

By Evelyn Peyton Gordon.

It is unusual for Washington to have a spring debutante, as the Capital season for debuts is the late fall and early winter, when society devotes virtually all its activities to the younger members, from before Thanksgiving until after the Christmas holidays. This year, however, the gayety of the Easter holidays will be augmented by the numerous parties to be given for Miss Mary Dwight, daughter of Mrs. John Henry Dwight, and the late Mr. Dwight.

Miss Dwight was to have been presented to Capital society this winter with several of her close friends, but mourning intervened, and though she took part in many of the debutante activities she will not be formally presented until March 31. Mrs. Dwight has issued cards for a tea dance to be given on that day at the Sulgrave Club, where many of the smart and interesting parties of the season have been held.

This will be the first large, unofficial party held after the bans of Lent are raised, and will start a round of gay entertainments in honor of the popular young miss.

Presented at Baltimore.

Miss Dwight attended the first german of the Baltimore Bachors Cotillon in December, as did her two closest friends, Miss Alice Fleming, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert V. Fleming, and Miss Marion Worthington, daughter of Mrs. Ralph Worthington, who are also among this year's debutantes.

Being presented at a Baltimore Cotillon is the high spot in the season of all debutantes who are fortunate enough to be selected by the committee of that august group.

The interest which takes in debutantes is endless. Though the activities of this year's debutantes have ceased to have the breath-taking importance of a few months ago, the interest has been relegated to next season's crop, and already the board of the Bachors Cotillon of Baltimore has decided on the eligibility of those who will be presented at the first of the formal german, which still savor of old world pomp and circumstance.

Return From Florida.

Mrs. Dwight and her daughter have just returned to their apartment at 2101 Connecticut avenue after spending several weeks at Yappa Island on the west coast of Florida. There Miss Dwight acquired magnificent sun tan which will be most attractive with the light colors so smart for spring costumes.

Miss Alice Fleming, who also returned recently from Florida, where with her parents she spent a fortnight in Palm Beach, will entertain at a large dinner at the Chevy Chase Club on April 7 in honor of Miss Dwight.

Miss Julia Culbertson and Miss Jane Culbertson, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. William S. Culbertson, will entertain March 29 at a dinner. They will arrive in Washington from Bryn Mawr on March 23 to spend their Easter vacation and to take part in Easter week activities.

Congressional Club Musicals Artists.

The Congressional Country Club will present Vera Neely Ross, contralto, and Eduardo Case, Latin-American tenor, who has been soloist on the N. B. C. networks this winter, at the sixth musicale of the season at the club Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

Mrs. Elizabeth Gardner Coombs will accompany both artists. Many members of the club will entertain at dinner parties following the musicale.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Manuel Villanor, of Mexico City, accompanied by Mr. Concepcion Garcia, arrived here yesterday and are occupying a suite at the Wardman Park Hotel for several days.

D. A. R. to Convene At Dinner Tonight

Mrs. McMillan to Speak at District Meeting.

The annual State conference of the District of Columbia, Daughters of the American Revolution, will open with a dinner in the grand ballroom of the Mayflower Hotel this evening at 7 o'clock.

Mrs. Harry Colfax Grove, State regent, will preside. Mrs. Lucile Foster McMillan, recently appointed United States Civil Service Commissioner by President Roosevelt, will speak. Mrs. McMillan is the widow of Mr. Benton McMillan, a former Governor of Tennessee.

The Army Band Orchestra, directed by Capt. William J. Stansard, will furnish music. Mrs. Margaret Ray Seay, dramatic soprano, Richmond, Va., and Mrs. Annie Gray, pianist, will be the guest artists. Mrs. William Thompson, Clark, State chairman of entertainment, and a committee are arranging the dinner.

Recent Bride at Home in Capital



MRS. PAUL LUTES, whose marriage took place on Thursday, March 8, in Elkton, Md. She is the former Mrs. Celeste Martin Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester William Martin, jr., of Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Lutes returned to Washington yesterday from their wedding trip and are at home at 1322 Eighteenth street northwest.

Notes of Official and Resident Society

Mrs. Roosevelt and her daughter, Mrs. Curtis Dall, will be patronesses for the song recital of Abby Morrison Ricker, to be given at 3:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the National Women's Country Club.

Among the other patronesses are Mrs. Cordell Hull, wife of the Secretary of State; Mrs. Henry Morgenthau, jr., wife of the Secretary of the Treasury; Mrs. Daniel C. Roper, wife of the Secretary of Commerce; Mrs. Hamilton Fish, wife of Representative Fish; Mrs. James Francis Sullivan, of Philadelphia; Mrs. Bradish Carroll and Mrs. Mark L. Bristol.

Many luncheons have been planned to precede the concert.

The Attorney General and Mrs. Homer S. Cummings will be the guests at a dinner to be given Friday evening by Representative Florence P. Kahn, of California.

Mme. Petroff Tchomakoff, wife of the Charge d'Affaires of Bulgaria, will entertain at luncheon Thursday. Yesterday she was the ranking guest at a luncheon given by Mrs. William A. Yeager, of Chicago, at the Mayflower Hotel. The other guests were Mrs. Fred A. Britten,

Representative and Mrs. Philip A. Goodwin, of New York, who will entertain at dinner tomorrow evening at the Mayflower in compliment to Mrs. Irving G. Titus, of Glen Cove, N. Y., who is spending the week with them at the Mayflower.

Mrs. Titus, who has been on a cruise to the West Indies, will arrive in Washington today.

The former United States Ambassador to Turkey, and Mrs. Charles H. Sherrill left Washington yesterday for New York to spend a week in their home at 20 East Sixty-sixth street, remaining for the grand

opera next Monday evening, and returning to their apartment at the Carlton on Tuesday.

The Undersecretary of State and Mrs. William Phillips will entertain at a small dinner for their daughter, Miss Beatrice Phillips, in their home tomorrow evening.

The former Attorney General and Mrs. A. Mitchell Palmer have returned to their apartment at Wardman Park Hotel after spending a month in Florida.

Miss Gertrude Laughlin, daughter of the former United States Ambassador to Spain and Mrs. Irwin B. Laughlin, left Washington yesterday morning for New York to remain several days.

Col. Edwin M. Watson, aid to President Roosevelt, and Mrs. Watson are at the Berkshire Hotel during their stay in New York.

The retiring commandant of the Sixteenth Naval District at Cavite, P. I., Rear Admiral Charles E. Courtney, accompanied by Mrs. Courtney, sailed from Manila yesterday for San Francisco. Admiral Courtney will go directly to San Diego, Calif., to assume his new duties, while Mrs. Courtney expects to come East to Washington to visit her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh R. O'Donnell, in their home on California street.

Maj. Gen. Robert Alexander, U. S. A., retired, and Mrs. Alexander, who have spent the past three months in southern California, are motoring East to visit friends and relatives in New York, Baltimore, Annapolis and Washington. After their visit Gen. and Mrs. Alexander will motor back to their home in Tacoma, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Dewey, of Chicago, are at the Mayflower for several days and will go to New York before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gould Shaw have arrived at the Shoreham to spend a few days, having come from Camden, S. C. They will go to New York to remain until they sail for Bermuda, April 4.

Mrs. Roger Kerrison, guest at luncheon.

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Guests Invited For Wedding Of Miss Lundy

Marriage to Mr. Dell Set at Washington Club April 2.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Don Lundy have issued invitations for the wedding of their daughter, Miss Margaret J. Lundy, to Mr. Julian Peter Dell, jr., of Georgia, which will take place at 8 o'clock on Easter Monday evening, April 2, in the Washington Club. The Rev. Father Edward Roach, of St. Matthew's Church, will perform the ceremony, which will be followed by a reception.

Miss Lundy will be attended by her sister, Miss Elizabeth Lundy, as maid of honor, and the bridesmaids will be Miss Kate Dell, of Georgia, sister of the bridegroom; Miss Caroline Phillips, of Rye, N. Y., and Miss Adelaide Henry, cousins of the bride, and Miss Betty Burke.

Mr. Dell has chosen as his best man Mr. Daniel M. Mandell, and the ushers will be Mr. Ellis Jones, of Georgia; Mr. Randall Buckingham, Mr. Gilbert Nettleton, jr., of Washington, and Mr. William Burns, of New York.

Several parties have been planned in honor of Miss Lundy and Mr. Dell. Friday evening Mr. George Patterson will give a party at Wardman Park Hotel. Mr. Gilbert Nettleton, jr., will entertain at a dinner dance at Wardman Park Hotel March 21. Mr. Betty Burke will be hostess at a luncheon on Saturday, March 31, and Miss Elizabeth Lundy will entertain that evening at a supper dance at the High-Ho Club following the wedding rehearsal.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Trevor, of New York, who have been at the Shoreham several days are on their way to New York. They have come from a visit at Boca Raton, Fla.

Mr. Clarence Hewes entertained at luncheon at the Carlton Hotel yesterday in honor of Mrs. Roger Kerrison, of London, the house guest for several days of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Merrill.

Mrs. Ida M. Shirk entertained seven guests at luncheon yesterday at the Wardman Park Hotel.

Mrs. Walter Bruce Howe is visiting in New York.

Mrs. Jacob Bauer and Mrs. Townsend McKeever, of Chicago, who have been in Palm Beach for three weeks, are at the Mayflower for a short visit before returning to Illinois. Mrs. Hayden Harris, also of Chicago, joined them at the Mayflower for the week-end and is leaving for Chicago on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris returned recently from a Mediterranean cruise.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson visit sons here.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene S. Wilson, of New York, have arrived at the Shoreham to spend two weeks and visit their sons, Mr. Eugene S. Wilson, jr., who resides in Chevy Chase, and Mr. Robert W. Wilson, of Washington. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson expect to visit in Atlantic City before returning home.

Marchioness Antici Mattel, of Rome, is at the Carlton for a short stay.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Robnett, jr., are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Donald Kock Robnett, at Rahway, N. J. The child is a grandson of Capt. John D. Robnett, U. S. N., retired, and Mrs. Robnett, who make their home on Q street.

Mrs. L. B. Mosher entertained informally for a few friends at luncheon yesterday at Wardman Park Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Fred McBride have come from Montreal to spend a few days in Washington, and are guests at the Shoreham. They expect to leave shortly for Palm Beach.

Maj. and Mrs. Gruber Canal Zone guests.

Maj. and Mrs. William R. Gruber have been the guests of the former's brother and sister-in-law, Col. and Mrs. Edmund L. Gruber, at Fort Davis, Canal Zone.

Miss Winifred Grainger, of London, England; Miss Haire Forster, of Clones, Ireland; and Miss Isabella M. E. Fremantle, of Wellington, South Africa, are guests at the Dodge Hotel.

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Mrs. Hull Honored By 'Little Cabinet'

Guest at Washington Club Luncheon Party.

Mrs. Cordell Hull, wife of the Secretary of State, was the guest of honor at a "Little Cabinet" luncheon yesterday at the Washington Club.

Among those present were Mrs. William Phillips, wife of the Undersecretary of State; Mrs. William J. Carr, the Misses Moore, Mrs. Harry H. Woodring, Mrs. William Stanley, Mrs. J. Crawford Biggs, Mrs. George C. Sweeney, Mrs. Harold M. Stephens, Mrs. Frank J. Fiedman, Mrs. Joseph B. Keenan, Mrs. William W. Howes, Mrs. H. Lee Branch, Mrs. Henry Latrobe Roosevelt, Mrs. Rexford G. Tugwell, Mrs. Theodore A. Walters and Mrs. W. W. Husband.

Sir George Palsh, of London, and Mrs. Dorothy Dalton, executive secretary of the American University Union of London, will be guests of honor at a tea to be given this afternoon by the English Speaking Union in the clubhouse on Sixteenth street from 4 until 6 o'clock. Sir Palsh will speak on "The Need For Cooperation." The hostesses will be Miss Sarah Lee and Miss Nanie Macomb.

Mrs. Ellen Poe White, of New York, who is visiting Mrs. Eldridge Jordan, is presenting the annual exhibition of clothes this week in the former Junior League Shop, on Connecticut avenue. Today Mrs. White will be honored at luncheon by Mr. and Mrs. Horace Lee Washington. Tomorrow evening Mrs. Powell Clayton will entertain at dinner in her honor, and on Thursday Mrs. White will be the honor guest at a luncheon to be given by Miss Lydia Loring.

Annette Gurney Engaged to Wed

Mr. Douglass Wood Fiance of Army Daughter.

An engagement of interest to Army society in Washington is that of Miss Annette Gurney, daughter of Maj. and Mrs. Samuel C. Gurney, to Mr. Douglass R. Wood, of Fort Worth, Tex.

Miss Gurney belongs to one of the oldest of Army families. She is the granddaughter of the late Richard H. Poillon, who graduated from West Point in 1871; a great-granddaughter of Brig. Gen. Henry Rutgers Mitzner, and a great-granddaughter of Col. Joshua Howard, who participated in three wars, the War of 1812, the Mexican War and the Civil War.

Mr. Wood is the son of Mrs. Margaret Wood, of Elk City, Okla. He attended the University of Oklahoma and is a member of the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity. No date has been set for the wedding.

Rublee Entertain Envoy of Mexico

Dinner Party Is Given for Ambassador.

The Ambassador of Mexico, Senor Dr. Fernando Gonzales Roa, was the guest in whose honor Mr. and Mrs. George Rublee entertained at dinner last evening in their apartment at the Hay-Adams House.

The other guests included the newly appointed Mexican Minister to the United States, Senor Dr. Padilla-Nervo, Admiral and Mrs. Hilary P. Jones, the former United States Ambassador to Chile and Mrs. William S. Culbertson, Mrs. Edward B. Burling, Mrs. Frank West, Mr. Herschel Johnson and Mrs. Lawrence Higgins, of the State Department; Mr. and Mrs. John C. Breckinridge and Miss Marvin Breckinridge.

Mrs. Charles F. Adams Is Guest of Castles

Mrs. Charles Francis Adams, wife of the former Secretary of the Navy, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William R. Castle, jr., at their home on S street for several days. She will leave this week to rejoin Mr. Adams at their home near Boston.

The former home of Mr. and Mrs. Adams which they occupied during the four years they were members of the Hoover Cabinet, was recently purchased by Mr. and Mrs. F. Hamilton McCormick-Goodhart.

Band Concert

U. S. Soldiers' Home Band Orchestra, Stanley Hall, 5:30 p. m. March: "On the March".....Goldman
Overture, "Fra Diavolo".....Auber
"March of the West".....Auber
1. "On Brave Army Team".....Bauer
2. "Army Blue".....Bauer
3. "Army Blue".....Bauer
Potpourri: "Master Melodies, No. 2".....Robert
Benedict
Benedict: "Sweet Lavender".....Robert
Valse: "Valise".....Robert
Pinale: "On the Go".....Goldman
"The Star-Spangled Banner".....Goldman

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Culbertson on Bridge

A Grand Slam on a Triple Squeeze.

It is often said that when a Grand Slam is contracted for and the adverse cards are normally divided, the Slam should either be a laydown or be dependent, at the worst, on one finesse, and this implies that any Grand Slam which is dependent upon a very fine squeeze should not be bid. This is not necessarily true. If during the bidding the partnership discloses a solid trump suit, all the Aces and some intermediates, the Grand Slam can and should be bid, based on the gamble that these intermediates will appear where they are most needed. Occasionally, of course, several honors held in one or both hands turn out to be useless and, as a result, Declarer either can not make the hand or must resort to a squeeze.

Such was the case on the hand below:
South, Dealer.
Neither side vulnerable.

♠ A 7 6 3
♥ 9 3
♦ J 10 8
♣ Q 7 5

♠ Q J 10 3
♥ 6 5 2
♦ 8 6 4 2
♣ K 5

♠ 9 8 4
♥ K 9 7 4
♦ K J 5 3
♣ K 5

♠ A K Q J 10 8 7 4
♥ A 10
♦ A 10
♣ A 10

The bidding: (Figures after bids refer to numbered explanatory paragraphs.)

South West North East
1♥ Pass 2NT (1) Pass
2NT (2) Pass 3NT (3) Pass
3NT (4) Pass Pass Pass

1—Since the North hand contains over 2½ honor-tricks this bid can not be criticized. Two diamonds, however, is a slightly better bid.

2—South knows he is going to play the hand at hearts, even though his partner never supports the suit. He accordingly uses the Four Notrump Convention to ascertain whether his partner holds the two remaining Aces.

3—The automatic response, showing possession of two Aces.

4—With his partner's first round two-notrump bid and the definite knowledge that North holds two Aces, South is justified in contracting for the Grand Slam. The King of clubs, King of diamonds or Queen of spades in the North hand will give South his thirteenth trick.

It is easily seen that North had none of the cards needed to make the Grand Slam a laydown. As a result, the Declarer was obliged to take advantage of a slip by the defense, followed by a squeeze.

The Queen of spades was opened, and the trick was won with the King. Two rounds of trumps were followed by a low diamond to the Ace, and then the Knave of diamonds was returned. East playing the King. This play by East is a more or less normal one, but it resulted in paying the way for the subsequent squeeze. South now played the Ace of clubs, and then ran his trump suit. The situation after ten-tricks was as follows:

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Mrs. Whiffen, Veteran Actress, Celebrates Her 89th Birthday

Trouper, Who Played With John Drew, Ada Rehan and Others of the Famous, Now Growing Old Gracefully Down in Virginia.

Roanoke, Va., March 12 (Sp.)—In a setting as idyllic as those in many of the plays she appeared in years ago, Mrs. Thomas Whiffen, America's "gracious old lady of the stage," today celebrated her eighty-ninth anniversary at her country home near Montvale, Bedford County, Va., within a few miles of the lofty Peaks of Otter.

Sixty-six years ago, as the bride of Thomas Whiffen, a singer, Mrs. Whiffen reached New York with her parents, Joseph and Mary Galton. The following day, with the Galton Opera Company, she made her first public appearance in this country in "Marriage by Lantern," at Wood's Museum and Metropolitan Theater at Twenty-eighth street and Broadway. From that day, Mrs. Whiffen's star rose steadily until she became known as one of the foremost actresses of her day. Her popularity has never waned.

Looking serenely into her ninety-third year, the veteran trouper, who is living with her children, Thomas and Peggy, in excellent health. Asked if she wished to send her friends a message on the eve of her birthday, she said cheerily: "I wish every one as good health and happiness as I have had."

And to Virginians, the charming English woman, who is setting an admirable example to those interested in growing old gracefully, had this to say: "I think Virginia is a lovely State, a very lovely State. The trees are so beautiful in the fall. I think the fall is the nicest time here."

Located well off the main highway from Roanoke to Bedford City, the Whiffen farm, with its modest but substantial home, the

rustic entrance to the yard, the flower beds and the orderly arrangement of buildings, is a delightful spot. At the base of the Blue Ridge Mountains, the farm will be but a short distance from the proposed Skyline drive, which will connect the Shenandoah and Great Smoky National Parks.

Mrs. Whiffen, who has never announced her retirement, is slightly deaf but she converses with little difficulty. Without the aid of glasses she reads eagerly, keeping abreast of events through the press and with the works of many contemporary writers.

In much of her spare time she does needle work of an intricate pattern and as evidence that she has retained the versatility which enabled her to go so far in her profession, she is often consulted by her son and daughter when they are "stumped" by problems on the farm.

Mrs. Whiffen loves simplicity and is content with her life in the country.

"When you get old," she said, "you don't want much. I have two children whom I love very much, who are very good to me. That is something very few can say."

The peacefulness of her surroundings has contributed largely to her good health, it is believed. It was to obtain an environment free of the endless procession of entertainment and demands for public appearances that she abandoned New York after the death of Mr. Whiffen.

"I'm the official 'bouncer,'" Miss Peggy Whiffen, an actress in her own right, said when she explained she never allows her mother's rest to be disturbed. The same rigid adherence to health rules, regular hours, sensible eating and abstinence from tobacco and liquors has always been observed by Mrs. Whiffen. The only cigarette she ever smoked was on a dare from John Drew and the experience was limited to two puffs. The only drink of alcoholic beverage was a small glass of sherry, at the insistence of her husband, taken when she was about to answer her cue, after a long trip. The wine, Mrs. Whiffen said, went to her head and she was uneasy until her husband and others reassured her she had done well with her number.

Mrs. Whiffen's popularity has lasted years after other stage celebrities with whom she appeared have been all but forgotten. Among the old stars with whom she trod the boards were Ada Rehan, Lillian Russell, Henry Miller and John Drew. Mrs. Whiffen has played in about 400 roles. She once made a picture in Hollywood and was "simply floored" by the intricate lights.

'Women Baby Me,' Gandhi Complains

Mahatma Steps on Thorns; Scorns Sympathy.

Kansas City, Mo., March 12 (U.P.)—The Mahatma Gandhi, like a small boy, likes to kick up the dust of the road with his bare feet, but he doesn't like to be babied by women.

Miss Nellie Lee Holt, head of the religious education department of Stephens College, Columbia, Mo., told of a visit to the Mahatma.

Gandhi, while barefooted, stepped on "the thorn" no cry and when I offered my sympathy I was reproached," Miss Holt said, "Women always baby me," he said.

The same thorns tore the silk hose of Miss Holt and the Indian leader noted the fact with the remark:

"Nature is unfriendly, but it is more sturdy than the threads of civilization."

Miss Holt said she was permitted to use Gandhi's bathtub when she first arrived at the India camp.

"It was a little in tub," he recounted, "but the bar of soap was a fresh one from America."

Men Notables Will Go Gay In Their New Easter Garb

Senator J. Ham Lewis, Speaker Rainey, Babe Ruth and Others Will Appear in Festive Attire, While Gandhi and Nudists Will Dress More Simply.

Chicago, March 12 (U.P.)—A long range preview today of what Western men will wear on Easter Sunday revealed a variety of styles.

George Herman Ruth will appear in the gray flannel muff of the New York Yankees at their training camp in the South while, weather permitting, Alfred E. Smith will walk up Fifth avenue under his brown derby.

Washington undoubtedly will see Speaker Rainey in an 8-gallon hat, Windsor tie and swallow-tail coat; and Senator J. Hamilton Lewis in raiment that will compel two quick glances and one long look.

Mussolini's men will stick to their black shirts; Hitler's compatriots to their brown shirts, and Gen. O'Duffy's pugilistic proteges to blouses of blue.

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Harriet Hctor Will Abandon Musical Comedy

Ballet Dancer, Here Last Week, Is Going Out on Her Own.

Harriet Hctor sat in her dressing room at the National Theater with her cheeks a preposterous orange and her eyelashes still covered with gluey make-up and said that, yes, she was going to abandon the musical comedy stage and issue forth by herself.

"It's something I've always had in mind ever since I started dancing," America's premier danseuse, called so by those who know, sat there looking very small and very pretty and announced that she was a little sorry to leave musical comedy—"It's such fun"—but that she was excited by her project.

Her plans do not involve going in for classical ballet alone, she said, but the closing of "Hold Your Horses" she considers that the time is propitious for a break.

"I don't want to give recitals alone. I want a company of ballet girls, and to make the program varied and amusing, other dancers who would not necessarily do ballet."

"If everything goes as planned I will be back here in April. Washington's a good place to open, don't you think?"

Mrs. Vitray to Speak Before Pen Women

Mrs. Laura Vitray, feature editor of The Washington Post, will speak at the monthly fiction meeting of the District of Columbia League of American Pen Women, Friday, March 16.

The meeting will be held in the league's studio, 1706 L street northwest.

Neighborhood life—long deplored as a lost American institution—has returned to Washington in a big way as a result of the new leisure provided by code working hours.

But the old times who are expecting a return of barn dances and corn huskings are going to be sadly disappointed. For the American people have advanced in sophistication. The slogan, "Ain't we got fun?" has evolved into "Let us be gay!"

The community centers are busy places these days, for scarcely a day passes that some new form of amusement does not appear to help solve the leisure-time problem.

One of the latest things is a community orchestra—an organization of musicians who play for the love of playing, and who are planning to furnish the very best numbers for music lovers. And many a man who has long carried the secret belief in his heart that he would have been given the chance, is trying his bow and strings for the first time in years. New members are constantly trying out, and being accepted by the orchestra, which has an expert conductor. There are no dues.

In the next room to the aspiring musicians, another group is singing folk songs in lusty fashion, and in another room, which has always remained on the ground or walked in stately fashion, are clicking merrily as their owners tap dance.

A strip of bleached cotton will do the mahatma 2—, \$8. Alfonso Capone and Roger Touhy will wear prison denim and John Dillinger a sardonic grin.

Those nudist people will, of course, wear nothing.

Most of the men will wear a hat and a suit of clothes.

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"I don't want to give recitals alone. I want a company of ballet girls, and to make the program varied and amusing, other dancers who would not necessarily do ballet."

"If everything goes as planned I will be back here in April. Washington's a good place to open, don't you think?"

Mrs. Vitray to Speak Before Pen Women

Mrs. Laura Vitray, feature editor of The Washington Post, will speak at the monthly fiction meeting of the District of Columbia League of American Pen Women, Friday, March 16.

The meeting will be held in the league's studio, 1706 L street northwest.

Neighborhood life—long deplored as a lost American institution—has returned to Washington in a big way as a result of the new leisure provided by code working hours.

But the old times who are expecting a return of barn dances and corn huskings are going to be sadly disappointed. For the American people have advanced in sophistication. The slogan, "Ain't we got fun?" has evolved into "Let us be gay!"

The community centers are busy places these days, for scarcely a day passes that some new form of amusement does not appear to help solve the leisure-time problem.

One of the latest things is a community orchestra—an organization of musicians who play for the love of playing, and who are planning to furnish the very best numbers for music lovers. And many a man who has long carried the secret belief in his heart that he would have been given the chance, is trying his bow and strings for the first time in years. New members are constantly trying out, and being accepted by the orchestra, which has an expert conductor. There are no dues.

In the next room to the aspiring musicians, another group is singing folk songs in lusty fashion, and in another room, which has always remained on the ground or walked in stately fashion, are clicking merrily as their owners tap dance.

A strip of bleached cotton will do the mahatma 2—, \$8. Alfonso Capone and Roger Touhy will wear prison denim and John Dillinger a sardonic grin.

Those nudist people will, of course, wear nothing.

Most of the men will wear a hat and a suit of clothes.

Eyes Have It; 90% Expression Of the Face

Eyebrows, Lashes and Lids Improved Vastly by Make-up.

Eyes are responsible for 90 per cent of the facial expression. At first thought that may seem high, but when we realize that the only other facial feature that can contribute any expression is your mouth, then you must admit that this estimate is quite conservative.

Eyes, in this sense, include, of course, lashes and eyebrows. For eyes that lack these "frames" are peculiarly expressionless. In the fifteenth century women wanted to look intellectual so they shaved off their eyebrows to make their foreheads look higher. But, judging from their portraits, a more dull and expressionless set of features would be hard to find.

When you observe how charming the flutter of long lashes can be, how piquant an expression is imparted by the quivering of prettily shaped eyebrows above laughing eyes, you wonder how medieval dames thought they could dispense with such glamorous assets.

Not every one, of course, is born with beautiful lashes and brows, but with the eye beauty aids available today, it is ridiculously easy to repair any such oversight. Eyelashes that are invisible because of their paleness can be transformed into flatteringly fringed by the delicate application of eye cosmetics. Lashes that are heavy but short can be lengthened magically by a touch of the same. Brows that are sparse and light can be accented and arched to suit the shape of the face, with a few strokes of eyebrow pencil.

To form a really expressive eyebrow, do not draw a sharp, unbroken line. Instead, work the eyebrow outward, with short strokes, one after another. These strokes should be on a slant and they should be shorter in the center of the brow than at the ends. Try it.

Eye shadow is also very effective in giving eyes better contour and making them more expressive. It should be used very sparingly in the daytime, however. During these hours mascara and pencil can be relied upon to assist the eyes materially in their task of supplying all but 10 per cent of your facial expression.

Not only are plays produced, they are also written. Many amateur dramatic organizations are making it a point to put on at least one original play each year. They feel that in this way they can produce plays that grow out of the lives of the people, and also give budding geniuses a chance to show what they can do.

All kinds of athletics are popular with members of the community centers, not only the beloved American game, baseball, but boxing, basketball, football and more recently ping-pong. It is reported that last year enough ping-pong paddles were sold for every third person in the United States to have one. Ping-pong enthusiasts range all the way from 8 to 80, and those who find tennis too exacting revel in this milder form of the game.

Contract bridge players, happy that no one can accuse them of neglecting duty for cards, play even on trolley cars and buses reading wherever they go.

Of course, the book worms never have any trouble passing away idle hours. Their appetite for reading is insatiable, and they are to be seen on trolley cars and buses reading wherever they go.

Book clubs are flourishing, and popular magazines are enjoying a huge sale. The libraries report the largest circulation in years.

Papers Chronicled Sensation Caused by Ankle Exposure

This "Daring" Style Trend Stages a Comeback This Spring, But Not an Eyebrow Is Elevated or a Strong Word Spoken.

By Virginia Lee Warren.

Washingtonians, recently, while at the breakfast table, picked up their newspapers and read the following Associated Press dispatch from Paris: "Slit skirts, revealing the mannequin's leg up to the knee, made their debut in spring styles at a Patou showing today."

Not a single reader batted an eye at this news. Probably a few murmured, "well, I see the slit skirt is back." That was all.

Perhaps a nation whose women are gadding about in "baby pants" or "shorts" can not reasonably get excited over any kind of skirts—even the slit ones. But only 21 years ago this style convulsed the country with an agitation that reverberated from coast to coast. It was shouted against in the pulpit, was deplored by the First Lady of the Land, and was barred from churches, colleges and other respectable places.

The slit skirt made its sensational first appearance in the early spring of 1913—when legs were delicately referred to as limbs and when silk stockings and rouge were worn only by "fast women." It created such a furor that the first wife of President Wilson and the wife of Vice President Marshall thought it necessary to deplore the style that was disrupting the morals of a nation. The Washington Post of March 12, 1913, carried this dramatic headline: "First Ladies Ban Tight Skirts," and then went on to say: "When it became generally known yesterday that Mrs. Wilson, wife of the President, and Mrs. Marshall, wife of the Vice President, had disapproved of the accepted styles of dressing—tight skirts and slashed skirts, and all other such varieties which have taken the place of the full and more or less straight lines of former days—the information produced a tempest in the social teas."

The turmoil stirred up by the slit skirt—the slit usually extending from the floor to an inch or two above the ankle—reached its most frenzied pitch in September. On the first day of that month Vice President Marshall stated his views on this widespread evil before a Methodist Episcopal camp meeting at Great Falls, Va.

The Washington Post chronicled the event with the headline: "Vice President Says Freak Styles Are Due to Vice Parents," and the following account of the camp meeting address:

"Home influence and not legislation is needed to curb the tango, turkey-trot, and slit skirt wearing, in the opinion of Vice President Marshall. In speaking of the manner in which children have been allowed to become slaves to the latest fashions, such as the slit skirt, Mr. Marshall said there is one commandment he would change so as to read that the sins of the children shall be visited on the parents."

Throughout the month of September newspapers carried articles almost daily on the vicious new feminine style. Here is the log of the slit skirt as it appeared in The Washington Post:

"Pittsburgh, Sept. 3.—Latticed skirts, fashion's very latest mandate, appeared in Fifth avenue here today. Three young women, wearing latticed gowns, were followed up the avenue by the curious of both sexes and caused such a sensation that the police had to disperse a crowd and assist the girls aboard a street car."

"The skirts were slashed from the bottom to the knee, and the slash was criss-crossed with brilliantly hued ribbons of silk. The observer caught more than a vague hint of flesh-tinted hose of very light material beneath a lattice work of ribbons."

"Washington, D. C., Sept. 4. Things moved at a lively clip in the office of the Secretary of the Treasury yesterday when a militant suffragette from Oklahoma appeared in a lurid plaid skirt and demanded that she be taken before Secretary McAdoo instantly."

All was pleasant as a May morning until the visitor from the West breezed into the office. She wore a man's hat of dark felt, and indescribable waist, and a slit skirt, which she wore so that the red, blue and green, and what was described as a 'peculiar' petticoat made it painfully proper."

"(Note—the suffragette had come to ask Secretary McAdoo for a job as a guide in the Treasury.)"

"Kansas City, Sept. 6.—There is nothing immoral in the slit skirt. Narrow skirts and trim figures do not mean immorality, as some insist. One of the most vicious epochs of society was when hoop skirts were worn."

"This statement was made by Judge Ralph S. Latham of the Criminal Court when asked by persons furthering a campaign against extreme styles in women's dress for his opinion of their cause. The campaign is being conducted through churches and social organizations."

"New Britain, Conn., Sept. 8. The Rev. H. T. Walsh of the Catholic Church of Our Lady of Mercy has announced that he will not give communion to any woman who approaches the altar railing in a slashed skirt. Moreover, she will not receive at his parochial residence any woman who wears such a gown."

"Mount Clemens, Mich., Sept. 11. The slit skirt is the product of the devil's industry. I may add that the fashion today is generally scandalous." This was the declaration of Cardinal Farley, of New York, who is here for the baths and a rest."

"Delaware, Ohio, Sept. 15.—Two girls students at the Ohio Wesleyan University were forced to quit their classes today, and to their rooms, and sew up their new slit skirts. Besides, they were ordered never again to appear in classes with the hems of their skirts notched even the tiniest little bit."

"These excerpts give an idea of the feverish commotion created 21 years ago by skirts that were daringly slashed 5 or 6 inches from the floor. And now women—perfectly respectable ones—parade on the golf links and dash about on the tennis court in abbreviated pants known as shorts. This costume was accepted with perfect equanimity even for street wear in southern California last summer. It is even possible that Washington will be enlightened in a few months by the sight of women clad in shorts, calmly trotting to market or to a session of the bridge club."

Thus do morals—or perhaps viewpoints—change in the brief span of 21 years.

Woman May Take Ten Hats On Dressy Tour of Mexico

But Only Four Pairs of Stockings, One Bathing Suit, Two Aprons, One Pair of Rubbers Permitted Feminine Visitors Under New Customs Rules.

Mexico City, March 12.—Women tourists to this country may bring ten hats and a wardrobe in keeping with the Mexican customs service has decreed. Here are the clothes items that will be admitted duty free.

Eighteen pieces of lingerie, 12 nightgowns or 8 pajamas, 24 pairs of stockings, 24 handkerchiefs, 6 collars, 2 aprons, 1 pair of bath slippers, one bath cap, a bath robe, 1 bathing suit, 1 pair of bedroom slippers, 12 pairs of shoes, 1 pair of riding boots, 1 pair of rubbers, 6 dressing gowns, 1 automobile rug, 3 overcoats, 1 raincoat, 3 sweaters, 6 pairs of gloves and as many belts; 12 street frocks, 2 evening dress gowns, 3 sports suits, 10 hats, 1 parasol, 1 umbrella and 4 scarfs.

Men tourists also will be permitted extensive wardrobes duty free. Their items may include:

Twelve shirts and a dozen pieces of underwear, 24 pairs of socks, 6 night shirts or pajamas, 1 pair of riding boots, a pair of rubbers, 6 pairs of shoes, the same number of bath and bathing outfits as women, 1 dressing robe, 30 collars, 24 linen and silk handkerchiefs, 24 neckties, 2 scarfs, 3 sweaters, 2 work jackets, 3 pairs of gloves and as many belts, 3 pairs of extra pants, 5 hats, 6 street clothes suits, 3 etiquette costumes, 2 overcoats, a raincoat, 1 umbrella and a suit of overalls.

Students to Visit Europe. Bristol, Va., March 12 (Sp.)—Prof. C. Ernest Cooke and H. C. Noffsinger, Jr., business manager of Virginia Interment College here, will conduct a party of eight students to Europe and return between June 7 and July 13, this year.

Flower Scent Basis of New Light Perfume

Romantic Story Enhances This Lily-of-Valley Fragrance.

By Ruth Anne Davis.

Something very strange was going on in the laboratory. The chemist's assistants had never seen their chief so detached, so engrossed in something that they weren't allowed to know about. He would crouch himself for hours and allow no one to invade his privacy. He was experimenting with strange oils and chemicals; they did know that. But why the secrecy? He was such a kindly old man, and always glad to have the young men watch him when he was performing extraordinary chemical feats. But this time he was different. He only smiled mysteriously when they questioned him.

One day, though, he came out of his study, his face curiously aglow. He put on his hat and coat and pocketed a small, peculiarly shaped package. As he left the laboratory, he turned around to one of the young men and said, "I've been married 20 years today!" With that he departed.

Later, it leaked out somehow. The kindly old chemist had been at work on a perfume for his wife. He had remembered a day, 20 years before when they had drifted along down a lazy stream. As they rounded a bend an old chateau appeared, its flower-filled gardens, its terraces and lawns stretching down to the river's bank. A breeze wafted the fragrance of many flowers. They had tarried there, half a day, entranced.

Now, many years after he had determined to commemorate those precious hours with a perfume, a perfume like the fragrance of flowers, the fresh scent of green grass, built around the delicate scent of beds of wild lilies of the valley.

The chemist's wife was a pretty, white-haired lady. When she saw her husband come in she could tell he was strangely excited. He reached in his coat pocket and from a strange conglomeration of handkerchiefs, cigarettes, keys and loose coins he brought out the little package and gave it to her half fearfully. Suppose she didn't remember! Suppose it has no meaning to her! But when she unwrapped it, and removed the stopper, he could tell by her face that this perfume did indeed have about it the haunting, lingering note of long ago.

That was many years ago. Now this perfume is on the market, sold in lovely-like bottles, to persons who prefer an illusive light fragrance to something more blatant and compelling.

Small and Compact.

A box in either fabricoid, leather, or striped canvas measures 20 inches in length and width, and 12 inches in height. But it is so ingeniously arranged that its small interior carries six pairs of shoes, six hats and a suitcase. And yet by an easy manipulation of compartments it can be turned into a plain traveling case, to carry a conglomeration of traveling equipment.

Striking the Mexican Note.

The Mexican note in the season's styles has never been more surely struck than with some new bags that recently arrived in an F street shop. A vivaciousness of color subdued by a dull finish tames them down to practicality.

Such bags occupy a favorite place in the spring wardrobe, chiefly because they're colorful enough to match anything, and because they're not so loud (these aren't that they're overly conspicuous. In the second place, they're architecturally satisfactory for holding a great pocketful of things. The stiff pocket books which bulged with a compact, and overburled with a cigarette case have been practically replaced by modern shoppers who realize it's possible to buy roominess and attractiveness at one and the same time.

These bags have novel bracelet handles made of catlin. They are so arranged that they can be left on or taken off to be handled or bracelet, as the owner chooses.

Soap in attractive shades to please the kiddies isn't an unusual item. But as parents have often complained, good soap in odd shapes is. That's why the soapy ducks on display in a downtown store are worth looking into.

They come, three of them in a box, perfect replicas of real duckies. And they're made of pure castile soap. Put Junior in the tub with one of these, and no fear that any impurities or extra strength will chap or roughen his skin.

Just suppose, too, that some Junior in the next block is going to have an Easter birthday party. Here is an inexpensive and attractive gift for your Junior to take him.

Call Ruth Anne Davis, of The Washington Post, National 4205, Extension 105, for further information. Or write, inclosing a stamped, addressed envelope.

Bacteriologists to Elect.

The Washington branch of the Society of American Bacteriologists will elect officers at 8 p. m. March 20 at the Army Medical School. Dr. John H. Hanks, of the George Washington University, and Miss A. M. Fabel, of the National Institute of Health, will preside.

Cheese Dreams, Croquettes, Rarebits Are Toothsome

Here Are Some Favorite Dishes of Famous People.

By Ann Barrett.

Milk and honey may be the prescribed food for heaven, but while they're still on earth, many folks will take cheese, too. Cheese dream sandwiches for Eddie Cantor. Cheese croquettes for author Fanny Henslip Lea. Cheese in just any form at all, say the exploring Herbert Spencer Dickey, who make it a point to carry along plenty of this food item when they go to the wilds of South America. And a good rarebit for just about everybody.

In each one of these dishes (and in every other cooked cheese dish) it's important not to be sudden about cooking the cheese. Let the heat sneak up on it or you'll make it tough and stringy. This means cooking it over low heat or over hot water. And don't cook it too long. This means it's always best to shave, grate or grind it first—so it will melt more quickly. If you keep these points in mind, your cheese dreams will be dreams, not nightmares. And your rarebits will be so smooth and golden they'll be worth writing poems about.

Cheese Dreams.

To go back to cheese dream sandwiches, there are several good ways to make them. First way: (For four sandwiches) cut eight slices white bread about 1/4 inch thick. Cut off crust. Spread each slice with softened butter. Then make these into sandwiches (buttered side out) with slice of cheese (1/4 inch thick) sprinkled with salt and cayenne pepper. Press firmly together and toast on grill as pictured.

Second way: Make sandwiches the No. 1 way (but without butter). Then cut these in half, and brown both sides in butter (about 4 tablespoons) in heavy fry pan.

No. 3 cheese dreams: Proceed exactly as in second method, but before frying sandwiches dip each in this mixture—2 eggs (beaten) 1/4 cups milk and 1/4 teaspoon salt.

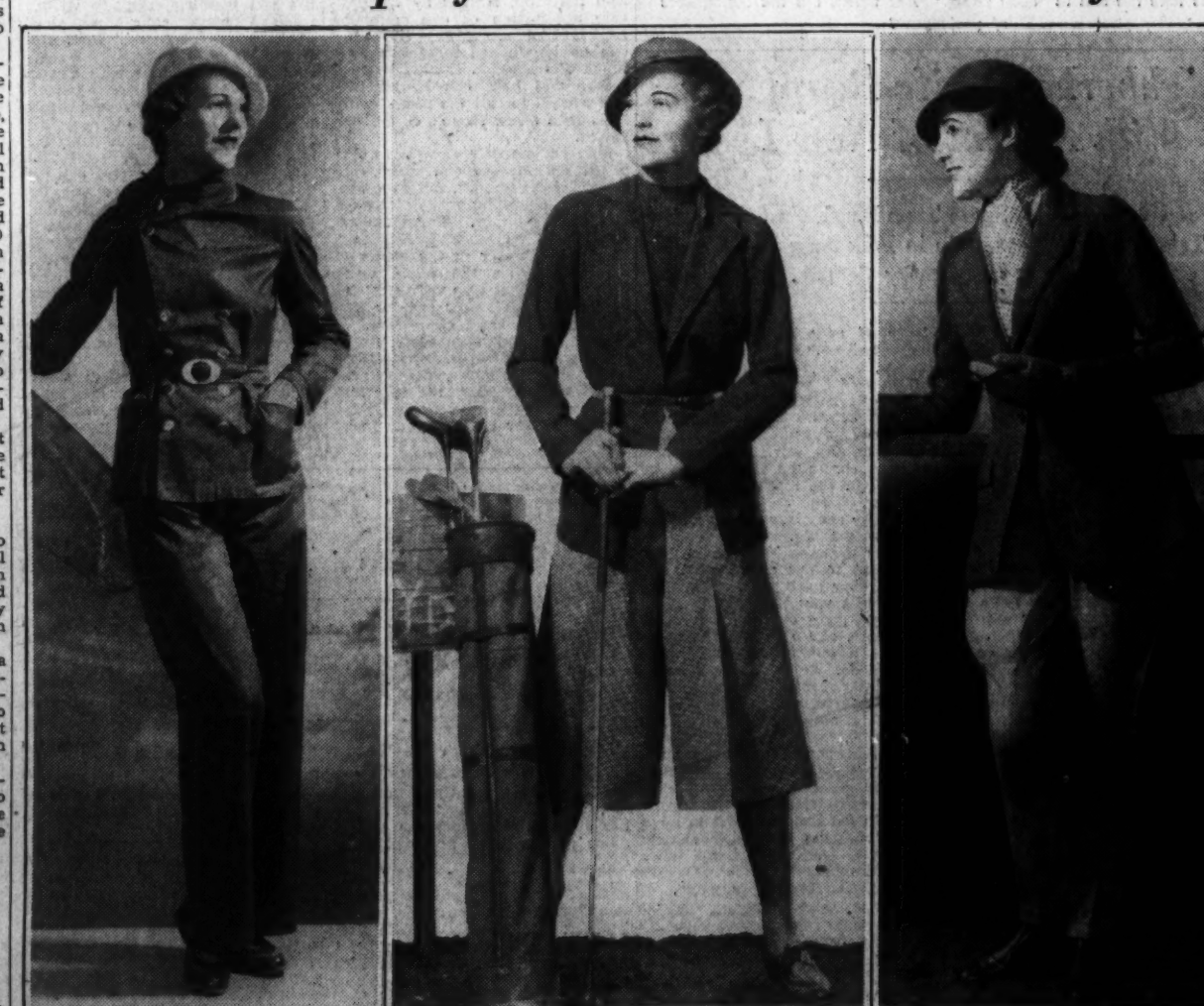
Cheese Croquettes.

Here's how on the cheese croquettes—which, with broiled ham or bacon and buttered spinach—make a fine meal, I can tell you. First, melt 3 tablespoons butter, blend in 6 tablespoons flour, add 1 cup milk gradually, and stir constantly till thick and smooth. Then take off the fire and mix in 1/4 cups soft American cheese (cut in thin slivers), 1 egg (slightly beaten), 1/4 teaspoon salt and 1/4 teaspoon paprika. Set pan over hot water, and stir till cheese is melted. Then chill mixture. Next, shape it into croquettes. Then roll these in flour (about 1/4 cup). Next dip them in mixture of 1 egg slightly beaten with 2 tablespoons milk. Last, roll in fine, dry bread crumbs (about 1 cup) and fry in deep fat hot enough

Butler's Child Labor Views Called "Silly"

New York, March 12 (U.P.)—An attack of Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia University, on the child labor amendment as an invasion of parental authority, was characterized as "silly" and "unintelligent" today by various professors at the university who took a firm stand in favor of the amendment. Twelve educators at Teachers' College endorsed the amendment.

Fashion Tips for Fliers, Riders, Golfers



At home on the bounding main or high up among the clouds is the jaunty ensemble of slacks and jacket. Made of a new lightweight water-proof cloth first used by explorers, the costume will delight the woman who sails or flies. Shorts are growing longer. Some of the newest ones for golf extend below the wearer's knee. These long shorts are so full that they resemble a divided skirt more than trousers. A dark slip-over sweater and matching jacket complete the ensemble. The smart equestrienne, when she goes for a spring-time canter, will be garbed in chamois twill jodhpurs, reddish brown coat, soft yellow shirt and stock of yellow silk with reddish brown dots.

What Today Means

"Places."

If March 13 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 7:45 to 8:45 a. m., from 3:30 to 4:30 p. m. and from 8:30 to 9:30 p. m. The danger periods are from 9:30 to 10:30 a. m., from 1:30 to 2:30 p. m. and from 5:30 to 6:30 p. m.

If March 13 is your birthday, it is advisable for you not to depend on others doing things for you which can be done by yourself. The older you grow, the more you will realize that responsibilities can not be shifted or avoided. Most of us eventually learn the only completely satisfactory way to have a thing done is to do it ourselves. As you have plenty of "pep," your energy will enable you to accomplish anything you make up your mind must be consummated. Being very observant you will be able to avoid making errors when called on to express an opinion. As you have high principles, personal likes or dislikes will not influence your sentiments.

The child born on March 13, as it grows up, will display a great amount of vitality. Everything it undertakes will be done with such an amount of tireless energy that a person of an indolent nature who enjoys taking life easy will be continually in a rather breathless state of admiration. Children whose natal day this is are a mighty good influence around and about a household, for they keep it so alive and up and doing that petty cares and worries are banished by the amusement their antics provide for the rest of the family.

The woman born on March 13 will always find this a lucky date in her calendar. Vivacious, witty and capable of carrying on animated conversations, her popularity among her friends is assured, providing she never allows it to make her snobbish. Frequently people elated over their social success quite unintentionally but thoughtlessly ignore the feelings of less popular members of both sexes by "cutting" them. When a number of people combine in expressing resentment regarding the action of one person it does not take long for an unpleasant reaction to manifest itself. It is a wise woman who avoids giving offense.

The man born on March 13 must not let his love for reading occupy too much of his time, unless he is following a literary career or about to try his fortune in that field of activity. His aggressive personality assures him of success in almost any line of business he undertakes. The popularity of March 13 men with the ladies makes bachelors among their number almost as rare as the dodo bird.

People born on March 13, having very analytical minds, and being generally excellent judges of human nature, usually can be depended on to give sound and safe advice regarding business affairs.

Successful people born on March 13: George Bacon Weed, physician and author. William Orr, inventor and manufacturer. John Sherry, physician. Charles Hallock, naturalist and author. Joseph K. Emmet, actor. Ernest Ingersoll, author. (Copyright, 1934, by Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

How to Keep Well

By Dr. W. A. Evans.

Caring for the Eyes. A few years ago we heard something of a pseudo-science that sometimes went by the name eye diagnosis. It was said to have originated in Austria. Its founder shot a hawk, wounding but not killing the bird. The discoverer of "eye diagnosis" captured the wounded bird and studied its eye expression in different moods. Thus he evolved what he called eye diagnosis. Practitioners of this vocation claimed they could look in a man's eyes and there read whether he had a scalp disease, corns, or other ills of the flesh located in between these poles. There was nothing to all this but pretense, and the practice has fallen on lean days.

However, inspection of the eyes may reveal some things to us. After 50 years of age most persons become presbyopic. In other words, their eyeballs become stiff. They can not play tennis as well as formerly because the eye is not flexible and soft enough to catch the direction and force of the ball quickly enough. We say of aging baseball players that they have lost their "bating eye" or their "eye for the ball." Presbyopic eyes outrank bad legs as a reason for the retirement of ball players.

Dr. H. Steinhouse proposes that we use the presbyopic eye as a standard by which to predict longevity. He proposes that insurance companies use it as a gauge as to the number of annual premiums an applicant can be expected to pay. A man's eyeballs should be about so rigid at 50 years of age. If they are stiffer than they should be it is a sign that his tissues are aging too fast.

In elderly people we can sometimes see a cloudy halo in the colored part of the eyeball. The old name for this was arcus senilis. It was thought to be due to a deposit of lime in the tissues of the iris and, as its name implies, it was an indication of advancing years. It is now thought to be due to the deposit in the iris of cholesterol, a near-fat present in the human body. But this substance is present in the walls of certain kinds of aging in arteries. The presence of arcus senilis may not be as sure a sign of premature aging as it was once thought to be, but it is far from being without value.

Going still deeper into the field we find that the eye specialist, by the use of the ophthalmoscope can learn much of disease in distant parts of the body. Many a time a diagnosis of Bright's disease has been made by examining the retina with this instrument. This examination throws much light on arteriosclerosis, aneurism, and apoplexy.

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Beggars All

By Katharine Newlin Burt.

"No. No. I am sorry, sir. I can not give my cousin up to death."

"I thought not. Well, Nino being crippled, I'm boss. You've got guns here. How many? How much ammunition?"

Rondo computed. "Two machine guns," he said, "about twenty pistol. A cellarful of ammunition."

"Well, you can't have too many to please me tonight, Mr. Supervisor. I advise you to get them up from the cellar pronto and to arm your men. We may make a sally and run these fellows off their boats, but there may not now be time for that maneuver. When they creep up close with their kerosene—they're planning to burn us out—they'll be making for the set end of the house. They'll want watching. We've got to lick them, Rondo, and get back our boats. That's your chance for citizenship papers. Where have you got Madrone?"

"Still in that room—always we keep ready for him."

"He must have been looking for trouble, eh? Bring him down here now. Put him on that settle. I want him under my eye. Don't worry about your cousin; I mean to save him if I can. Lively now!"

To Rafe's amazement Rondo lifted his hand and kissed the set, sir," he said in the voice of a man completely dominated and enslaved. "Waiting for his commands to be obeyed. Rafe leaned against the wall of the dim passage and turned his automatic in his hands. In this queer, still minute he seemed for the first time to see clearly into the reality of his own life. And clearly, too, for the first time he saw Rondo. Under her air of graceful pride it was she—not Rafe Courvoisier—who had been Madrone's most unconscious tool. Only half aware of her helplessness, she stood with her poor little head held high and gave him scorn and insult when she needed—so desperately—his love. She had ruined Rafe, perhaps, but even more utterly, if she were left alone, had she ruined her own hope of acceptance by this guardian angel and he, hers. If only there were time! Death, thought Rafe, stood so close to him and shame so close to her.

Chapter XXVIII.

He waited until Madrone, faint and mute with pain, was carried past him, and then he turned and went down the passage toward the dining room. Here, alone with the remnants of the feast, sat the Ordinary, a napkin tucked into his collar, sipping punch.

He recognized the red-haired gentleman and rose.

"My God, Mr. Rafe, sir, you do look queer, sir."

"I need some food and wine, I reckon. I had an accident down yonder in the swamp. He sank down, mist dancing in his eyes.

"Here, wait a moment. I'll get you both."

Toby ran about and bent over Rafe with a glass in his hands. Rafe drank and was able presently to eat something.

"Jay brought you out here, Mr. Tobin?"

"Yes, sir. With the marriage license."

"All signed and sealed and ready, eh?"

"Not quite, Mr. Rafe, or they wouldn't have needed me to be here personally with my seal and everything. You see, the bridegroom's name is still missing."

The Ordinary, a little confused with wine, fumbled with his papers. Rafe watched him thoughtfully. The blood was coming back

into his brain. With decision, ruthless and satisfying.

"Mr. Tobin, you'll be wanted in the south parlor presently. Do you know the room I mean? It's opposite the big drawing room, just across the hall."

Recognizes Room.

"Yes, sir, I know. The room with the bookcases and portraits lining the walls."

Rafe rose. "I'm going upstairs a minute to get the swamp mud off me. If you will wait just here and be ready when I send for you, I'll be obliged. There's been"—he hesitated and lowered his voice confidentially—"there's been a complete change of plans out here. Something very unexpected. You've heard of our predicament?"

"Why, no, sir. I know there was a lot of outlin' and runnin' and talkin' and every last one of these servants left me to wait on myself."

"Yes, Well, we're in a dangerous sort of fix. The wedding party is at sixes and sevens. You're quite safe for the present if you stay where you are and don't ask questions. You mustn't be surprised at anything. Just stand by, will you, until we need your signature and seal."

"What's what I'm here for?" said the Ordinary, "just waiting for the signature of Mr. Randal Crewe."

"Of whom? You've got the name wrong, man."

"Oh, no, sir. I'm certain they told me Mr. Crewe."

"You've made a mistake. But that's not serious so long as you haven't got the wrong name down on your license." Rafe smiled and clapped him on the shoulder.

Not fifteen minutes later, clean and sleek as he could make himself, Rafe came quickly through the hall into the room where Rondo consulted as to their fate. Somewhat apart stood Hortense with Cranston close beside her.

Rafe advanced, his head up, his eyes clear.

"Miss Kendall, will you and Mr. Cranston come with me, please? I must have your advice. It's important. Quickly, please."

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To be continued tomorrow.

Women Democrats Hear of Project

Tennessee Valley Activity Described at Luncheon.

Dr. David E. Lillenthal, director and general counsel for the Tennessee Valley Authority, was the guest of honor of the Women's National Democratic Club at the forum luncheon party yesterday at 1528 New Hampshire avenue. Dr. Lillenthal, who talked on the general subject of the Tennessee Valley project, was introduced by Mrs. E. A. Costigan, wife of the Senator from Colorado. Others at the sparsely table were Mrs. and Mrs. Huston Thompson, Mrs. Harry Rieck, Miss Crane and Mrs. Frank Hiram Snell. Among those attending the luncheon were Mrs. Edward Keating, Miss Margaret Owen, Mrs. Jack Scott, Mrs. Thomas B. Love, Mrs. George M. Eckles, Mrs. A. F. Busick, Mrs. Edgar Allen Keys, Mrs. Ford Swenson, Mrs. F. D. Richardson, Mrs. Maxwell, Mrs. Robert Graham, Mrs. David Tucker Brown, Mrs. William H. Reed, Mrs. Franklin H. Kenworthy, Mrs. Edna Patten, Mrs. Basil Manly, Miss Carolina Graves, Miss Elizabeth Quennell, Mrs. Gardner Jackson, Mrs. John Breckinridge, Mrs. Agnes Winn, Mrs. Charles S. Hamlin, Mrs. William Wharton, Mrs. Corcoran Thom, Mrs. William Rice, Mrs. Willoughby Beale, Miss Ethel Ketcham, Miss Mary Bakewell, Mrs. William H. Davis, Mrs. Theodore Benson, Mrs. W. T. Willett, Mrs. E. H. Lyndon and Mrs. Claude Porter.

Threads.

By Katharine Smith.

If I should take the threads, long tangled

With confusion; weave and knot A newer pattern, not the jangled

Clash of color that I thought Must shade my destined robe; if patient

Order is to be my goal Can I wear the cloth, complacent, When it shields a restless soul?

Baby Mine

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Cold Class Rooms Laid To Red Tape

Force School Closing
Is Blamed on Poor
Boiler Stoking.

Engineer Says Licensed
Firemen Would Save
Thousands.

Inefficiency and red tape were blamed yesterday by L. C. Warmington, District Repair Shop Chief Engineer, in the closing of Force School, Massachusetts avenue, near Seventeenth street northwest, because 400 children shivered.

"The District government," he said, "would save thousands of dollars every year and get much better service if school janitors were required to have licenses as steam engineers."

"We inspected the Force School heating system and found it in excellent shape. The trouble was the grates were choked with ashes, there wasn't a pound of pressure on the boilers and the drafts were closed. It was all due to inefficiency."

Equipment Absolved.

Warmington promised men from his shop would fire the furnace today and prove the fault rested in personnel rather than equipment. He announced experienced engineers were ordered to report at 6:30 a. m.

The repair shop chief insisted sporadic complaints of cold classrooms almost invariably resulted from poor janitor service. He added the District should cease employing \$1,250 to \$1,800 a year janitors and hire licensed engineers available at \$2,400.

"Good engineers," Warmington asserted, "would more than save the difference in salary by reducing fuel consumption and maintenance costs."

Maj. P. A. Hodgson, assistant engineer commissioner, who accompanied Warmington to the Force School after classes were suspended, agreed a test showed the heating apparatus was firing properly. He promised every effort would be made to make the school comfortable.

Radiators Removed.

School officials reported temperature as low as 52 degrees caused summary dismissal of all but three classes at 9:30 a. m. Miss S. E. Thomas, principal, declared failure of the heating system caused suspension of classes one day last month and frequently resulted in students wearing coats at their desks.

Mrs. C. M. Johnson, Force Parent-Teacher Association vice president, complained that numerous requests for additional weather-stripping and radiators had not been filled. She charged radiators had been removed from several rooms for repairs and had not been returned.

Teachers also protested against the drinking fountain caused window panes which permitted air to sweep through classrooms. The ventilating apparatus was said to need repairs. Teachers demanded a hot-water system to permit sterilization of pans and crockery in the lunch room.

New Auto License Tags Ready Soon at Roanoke

Roanoke, Va., March 12 (Sp.).—The sale of new license plates for automobiles will begin next Thursday, John W. Williams, Jr., of the Roanoke branch of the division of motor vehicles, announced.

The Roanoke series starts at 75-653 and runs to 80-350.

Y. M. C. A. to Hear Editor.

Roanoke, Va., March 12 (Sp.).—H. Powell Chapman, editor of The Roanoke Times, and Dr. R. A. Lapsley, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, will address the annual meeting of the Y. M. C. A. here tomorrow evening. Seven directors will be elected. George L. Wade is in charge of the program.

Play in Roanoke.

Roanoke, Va., March 12 (Sp.).—A comedy, "The Grandmas," will be presented by the Philanthropic Bible Class of the First Christian Church Friday night for the benefit of the Woman's Bible Class of the West End Methodist Church. The play will be directed by Mrs. T. W. Patton.

More Roomers Than Rooms

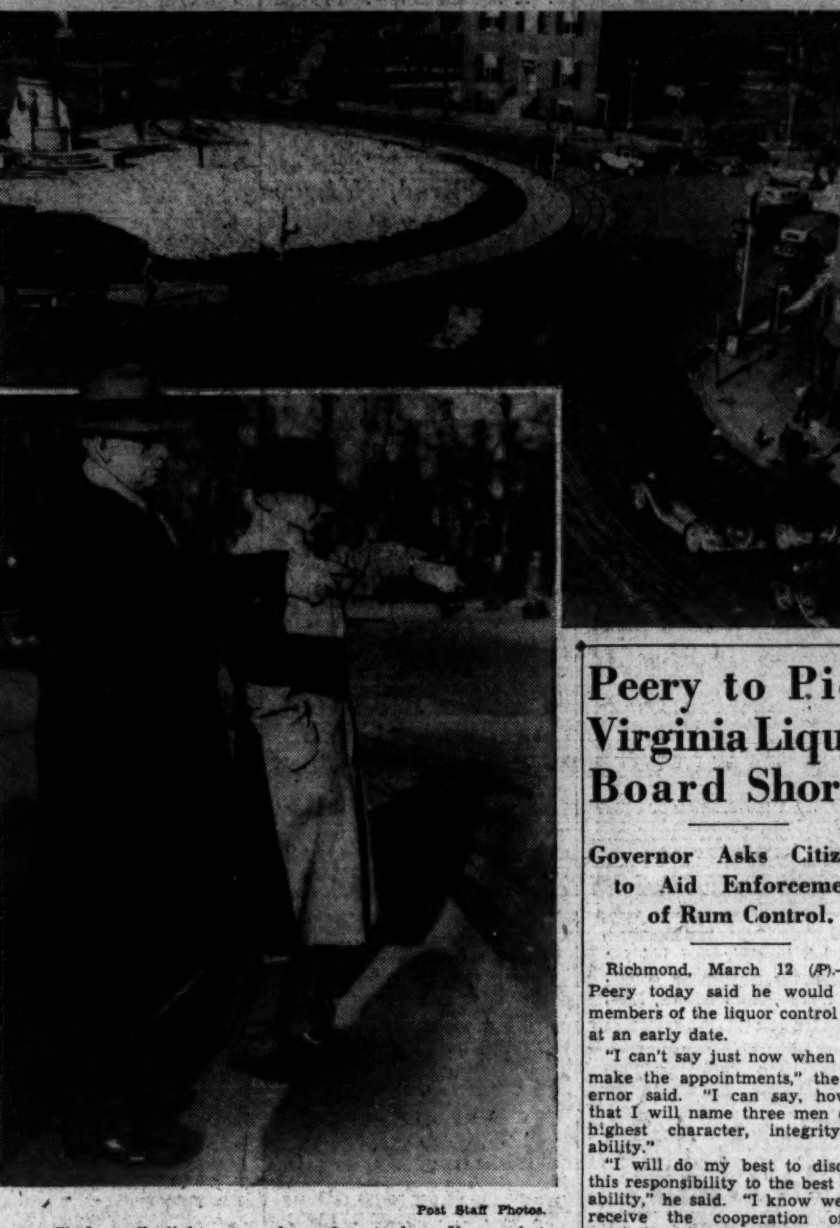
When Miss Harriet Stone, 1745 Rhode Island avenue northwest, rented a large front room as the result of running a 5-line ad in the Classified columns of The Post, she promptly took advantage of the Post's excellent Classified service to advertise two other rooms.

Miss Stone reports that fifteen persons came after she had rented her rooms. More roomers than rooms, in other words!

A 5-line Classified ad over a week's period, in The Post, brought complete results for Miss Stone. Post Classified ads get results "first thing in the morning."

To place an ad, simply step to the telephone and call
National 4205
Ask for an Ad-Writer

New Traffic Light Plan at Thomas Circle



Thomas Circle traffic lights were changed yesterday. Upper photo, scene as east-west traffic moved. The lights first permit Fourteenth street traffic to flow for 50 seconds. Then other streets open for 40 seconds, after which all traffic stops 20 seconds for pedestrians to cross. Lower right, Fourteenth street traffic is shown stopped. Police Chief Ernest W. Brown and Traffic Director William A. Van Duzer are shown watching operations. They said sufficient time had not elapsed for them to pass judgment on the new system.

County Shift 2 Die, 5 Hurt, Bill Passed In 3 Accidents In W. Virginia In Virginia

House Thought Ready
to Follow Senate
on Measure.

Charleston, W. Va., March 12 (Sp.).—The State Senate this afternoon passed the compromise congressional redistricting bill shifting seven counties from their present districts.

Passage of the compromise measure is expected by the House of Delegates, which already has approved the conference report adjusting differences between the two branches, but it had to defer action on the bill itself until the Senate had passed upon it.

The measure moves Webster County from the third to the second district; Pocahontas from the sixth to the second; Calhoun from the fourth to the third; Fayette from the sixth to the third; Wayne from the fifth to the fourth; Lincoln from the fifth to the fourth, and Greenbrier from the sixth to the fifth.

Senator A. B. Abbott (Democrat), Fayette, finance committee chairman, announced today that no effort would be made by that branch to push the committee's \$10,350,000 emergency revenue bill until tomorrow when it will be called up for action.

The House held only a brief session this afternoon, adopting a joint resolution of sympathy on the death of former House Speaker James H. Strickling of Huntington. A committee will attend the funeral.

Gov. Kump today appointed Mrs. Hazel Yeager Hyre, of Ripley, widow of Senator Kenna K. Hyre, Democrat, who died last week, successor to her husband as senator.

Senator A. C. Harold (Democrat), Braxton, chairman of the joint legislative CWA investigating committee, announced today that its report would be submitted to the legislators Wednesday.

Directed Verdict Frees Virginian

Norfolk, Va., March 12 (Sp.).—Judge W. H. Sargeant, in corporation court No. 1, today directed the acquittal of Benjamin C. Wood, indicted for manslaughter in connection with the death of Miss Louise Lowry Thomas, daughter of Commander Raymond G. Thomas, U. S. N., last December 9.

Miss Thomas was riding in an automobile driven by Wood, returning from a dance, when the car crashed into a tree. Miss Thomas was killed instantly.

The prosecution had introduced two witnesses when Wood's counsel moved that the indictment be quashed on the ground that evidence did not show criminal negligence. Judge Sargeant sustained the motion.

Hagerstown Backs Potomac Dam Plan

Hagerstown, Md., March 12 (Sp.).—The mayor and council of Hagerstown will endorse the plan for a dam in the upper Potomac River, and a resolution of approval is being prepared by City Attorney Elsworth Roullette.

Hagerstown officials believe the dam would save money for the city. Hagerstown obtains a large amount of its water from the Potomac and the dam would regulate the river flow that the cost of heavy chlorine treatments, now necessary during the summer, would be reduced.

The dam would impound 6,500,000 gallons of water and would release 50,000,000 gallons daily during the dry season. It would be constructed at Crabtree Creek, above Cumberland.

Democrats Win Skirmish On Pay Bill

Pledge Majority Against
It, But a Joker
Appears.

67 Ask to Be Excused;
Leaders' Position
Uncertain.

House Democratic leaders late yesterday won a hollow victory in their efforts to hold the party in line with the Administration wishes as to Government pay restoration and increased veterans' allowances and last night were counting noses to see where they stand.

At the second caucus, the leaders were able to corral enough loyal Democrats to reverse the action of last Thursday night and to bind the Democrats in the House to vote for a resolution to send the independent offices appropriations bill to conference without instruction.

The joker did not become apparent, however, until 67 of the 74 representatives who had voted against the resolution asked to be excused from being bound by the caucus. As 77 Democrats failed to attend the caucus, it is expected that a substantial number of them will take similar action.

Committee Confused.

As a result, the Appropriations Committee, which still holds the bill, was uncertain as to whether to ask for a rule which would prevent votes on the Senate amendments on the House floor or whether to report the bill and take the risk of the House adopting the Senate amendments for 15 per cent pay restoration and greatly increased veterans' compensation.

The committee will meet this morning to decide its course of action after Administration leaders determine whether they have enough votes to assure adoption of the rule over the veterans' bloc in their own party and an almost solid Republican opposition.

Speaker Rainey, emerging from the caucus, appeared at all pleased with the turn in events despite the 65-to-74 vote for the resolution offered by Chairman Cramer of the Democratic steering committee. As the members voting "no" were excused themselves from being bound, he remarked:

"It looks as if two-thirds of them are excusing themselves from being bound."

Absentees Rounded Up.

Party leaders were able to obtain the two-thirds majority in support of the resolution only by persuading 30-odd absentees of the Thursday night caucus to attend yesterday's session. The previous vote on the resolution had been 136 to 71. Yet it was significant that 77 still remained away from the caucus.

Contrary to the action of Thursday night, the resolution adopted yesterday carried no amendment. A substitute, offered by Representative Connelly, of Massachusetts, which would have nullified the resolution by permitting a vote on each of the Senate amendments, was defeated.

At the previous caucus Representative Browning, of Tennessee, was successful in attaching an amendment which would have bound the conferees to battle for 75 per cent allowances for Spanish-American War veterans and 75 per cent for presumptive World War cases.

If House leaders are successful in garnering enough votes to pass a rule and to send the bill to conference without instruction, a third caucus will be held to consider the report of the conferees before it reaches the House.

354 Millions at Stake.

At stake in the Senate amendments is \$354,000,000 in increased allowances for veterans and Government employees. President Roosevelt has made it clear that he will veto the bill if it passes the House carrying the Senate amendments which would increase veterans' allowances by \$118,253,700 and restore full pay to Government employees.

The President has indicated his willingness to accept a compromise on pay restoration by agreeing to the restoring 3 per cent as of February 1 and 5 per cent July 1.

He has not revealed how far he will go in approving increased veterans' allowances, but he has stated that the Senate amendments are out of the question.

Social Science Meeting Slated At Virginia U.

Charlottesville, Va., March 12 (Sp.).—The eighth annual meeting of the Virginia Social Science Association will be held at the University of Virginia April 13 and 14, Miss E. Jeffries Heinrich, secretary and treasurer of the association announced today.

Members of the faculties of all institutions of higher learning in Virginia are among the members planning to attend.

The meeting will be held in conjunction with the meeting of the Virginia Conference of Social Work scheduled on the same dates at the University of Virginia.

Prominent students of economic, social, governmental and historic affairs in Virginia will participate. Officials of the association are Dr. R. B. Pinckney, dean of the University of Richmond, president; John J. Corson, 34, of the University of Richmond, vice president; and Miss Heinrich, of the University of Virginia, secretary-treasurer.

Prohibition Offices Close Down March 22

Richmond, March 12 (Sp.).—Virginia's State prohibition offices will cease hunting stills March 22. On that day their duties as prohibition enforcers under the old Layman bone-dry law become obsolete when control switches to a new set-up headed by the as yet unnamed three-man liquor board.

Most of the department's special agents retired February 15 when the Page act, ending their fees, took effect. More than a score of dry agents on a salary basis remained, however. They, with five secretaries and clerks in the prohibition enforcement offices, will lose their jobs. Most of them plan to apply for posts with the new board, but there has been no assurance that the new board will employ field agents.

They'll Be Models for the Day



Some of the models selected from Washington banks to display clothes at the fashion review and Monte Carlo party, to be given by the Washington Chapter of the American Institute of Banking tomorrow at Hotel Raleigh. Models pictured are, from left to right, Miss Rosalie Goodhart, Second National Bank; Miss Isabel Leisinger, Liberty National Bank, and Mrs. Louise Pinckney, Riggs National Bank.

"Love Murder" Trial Starts At Frederick

Schultz Claims He Shot
Inn Proprietress in
Self-Defense.

Frederick, Md., March 12 (Sp.).—Charged with first degree murder, George F. Schultz, 61, former official of the Baltimore Health Department, went on trial before a jury in circuit court here today for shooting Miss Bessie C. Darling, 46, proprietress of a summer house at Deerfield, a village in the Catoctin Mountains, October 31.

State's Attorney Walter E. Sim's principal witness is Miss Maxine Willard, maid at the boarding house, only witness to the tragedy. Schultz will plead self-defense.

The State will attempt to prove jealousy on part of Schultz, who had been courting Miss Darling, and who was aroused over attentions she was receiving from a neighbor.

When officers arrived after the shooting, they found Miss Darling dead on the floor at the foot of her bed with a loaded pistol by her side. Schultz was found in the hallway outside her room with a pistol ball in his chest. The door of Miss Darling's room had been forced.

Miss Willard told the officers that Schultz had come to the house early in the day of the tragedy and when she saw him she ran into Miss Darling's room and looked the door. A few minutes later, she said, he forced open the door and fired one shot, which killed the woman. After drinking a cup of coffee prepared by her at his request, Schultz shot himself, Miss Willard said.

Schultz admits he shot Miss Darling, but claims it was in self-defense.

Edward Mooney Rites To Be Conducted Today

Davis, W. Va., March 12 (Sp.).—Funeral services will be held tomorrow for Edward Mooney, 66, one of the early residents of this place, who was identified with lumber and coal operations. He was a native of Shenandoah County, Va.

Charles F. Mooney, Baltimore, is his son. He was a brother of Thomas Mooney, Cleveland, Ohio, and Mrs. Paul Dellinger and James Mooney, both of Shenandoah County, Va.

Joel Taylor to Become Chester Mayor April 1

Chester, W. Va., March 12 (Sp.).—Joel Taylor, former pottery manufacturer, will take office as mayor April 1, as result of a recent three-cornered election fight.

Heading the citizens' ticket, he defeated Logan Wallace, Republican, and Elmer Conley, Independent. Harry Lewis, Republican, was elected city clerk and five Republicans were elected to the city council.

Passion Play Slated At Winchester Soon

Winchester, Va., March 12 (Sp.).—The Kiwanis Club here will sponsor a stage presentation of the Passion Play here Thursday of Passion Week, March 29. A professional organization, said to include 16 members of the original European Passion Play cast, will appear. The play is sponsored to raise money for the underprivileged children here.

Fredericksburg Club Is Rehearsing Drama

Fredericksburg, Va., March 12 (Sp.).—Noel Coward's play, "Private Lives," will be presented by the Drama Club in the high school next Thursday.

The cast includes Levin Houston 3d, director; Miss Betsy Embrey, Miss Claire Freeman, Miss Mildred McMurtry, Embrey Bailey and Beverly Roberts.

Claude Doggett, 8, Buried.

Fredericksburg, Va., March 12 (Sp.).—Funeral services for Claude Pendleton Doggett, Jr., 8, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Doggett, who died Saturday after a 3-day illness, were conducted at the home today by the Rev. Forrest J. Prettyman of the Methodist Church, assisted by the Rev. Forrest J. Prettyman of the Presbyterian Church.

Liquor Board Urged to Use "Discretion"

Civic Groups Ask Broad
Limit on Rum
Near Schools.

Would Deny Licenses to
Places Found Not
"Appropriate."

A policy of refusing to grant licenses to applicants in the vicinity of schools and churches unless the place is "appropriate" was proposed to the Liquor Control Board by representatives of civic organizations.

The recommendation suggested the board be not bound by the limitation of 400 feet set in the law as the radius from schools and churches within which licenses may not be granted if the applicant were not in business when the liquor law passed.

Even if the place is beyond the prescribed 400 feet, it is suggested that the board refuse to grant a license if there is a reasonable likelihood of the place being patronized by children.

Board to Act Today.

The proposal was submitted by Henry I. Quinn, of the Board of Education; George E. Sullivan, of the Federation of Citizens Associations; Charles L. Stenard, of the District of Columbia Public Schools Association; and Harry N. Stull, of the District of Columbia Congress of Parent-Teacher Associations.

Whether the board members will accept the proposal will be decided today. Chairman Offutt announced. Corporation Counsel William W. Budge has declared the board has ample discretionary powers, but Chairman Offutt believes there must be a good reason for denial of a license. The law provides any establishment, engaged in business, when the liquor law was passed, even though within 400 feet of a school is eligible for a permit.

Chairman Offutt is of the opinion the licenses authorizing sales for consumption on the premises should be banned in the vicinity of high schools, but bottle sale licenses should be permitted. In the case of elementary schools, he believes the case should be viewed more liberally, because there is less temptation to the young children.

Two Violations Studied.

Mercy was recommended by Assistant Corporation Counsel Andrew Howsley in the first prosecution before the liquor board for violation of regulations. The case was against the Overbrook Co., Inc., wholesalers, charged with having delivered a case of whisky to an establishment which had not yet received its license.

"Because of the special circumstances of this case," Howsley said, "I believe that revocation of the license is too severe a penalty. I wish the board had authority to suspend a license, but since it has not the penalty of revocation would be too great because the company showed no willfulness."

It was charged the company delivered a case of whisky to the Thomas Circle Restaurant, which has applied for a license. Morton J. Abrams, of Baltimore, president of the company, told the board the delivery was an "oversight."

Solicitor May Be Held.

Nathan Bliss said that through a clerical mistake the liquor was delivered.

Simon Stein, of 1827 Webster street, who solicited the order, may be subjected to prosecution in Police Court.

The board took both cases under advisement. Chairman Offutt declared "the board is determined to be severe in dealing with violation of these regulations."

Bristol Fire Loss Down

Bristol, Va., March 12 (Sp.).—The Bristol, Tenn., fire loss per capita for 1933 was \$2.16, as compared to \$3.07 for 1932 and \$4.90 for 1931, it was announced today.

Good morning! The important style in young men's topcoats has a raglan shoulder. All fabrics will not do for this style and, as a matter of plain fact, all men can not wear it. Men who want to know are invited in to find out.

Ohio County to Press Probe at Sanitarium

Terra Alta, W. Va., March 12 (Sp.).—The Ohio County Court will sit Hopewell Tuberculosis Sanitarium here to investigate complaints against the administration. Patients from that county, which pays \$500 a month for their support, have charged that they are being fed a "starvation diet." The court announced plans for a first hand investigation after Miss Loreta Friemuth, health nurse at Westing, has reported on conditions at the sanitarium.

Publishers Will Meet At Charleston Friday

Clarksburg, W. Va., March 12 (Sp.).—W. Guy Tetrick, of Clarksburg, president, and C. E. Smith, of Fairmont, secretary, have issued a call for the annual meeting of the West Virginia Publishers Association to be held Friday at Charleston.

Chief interest will be centered on the NRA codes.

Meyers Mens Shop 1331 F St. N.W.

Blimp Scores First 1934 Victory as Five Successive Choices Fail at Hialeah

Aged Gelding 2-Length Victor

Bright Bubble Second
Over Line; Distribute
Is Third.
All Rows, in Sixth, Is
First Choice to Win;
Two for Wright.

HIALEAH PARK, March 12 (AP).—Although the coldest weather of the Florida season made topcoats welcome here this afternoon, a good-sized crowd was on hand to view a featureless program as the final week of the Miami Jockey Club's meeting got under way. The fourth event attracted the most interesting field and resulted in the elderly gelding Blimp carrying Mrs. H. McCarthy's silks home for his first victory of the year. Under the battle-scarred Mack Garner, the 7-year-old gelding led from the drop of the flag and scored by two lengths over Sam Furst's Bright Bubble. The latter had three lengths' advantage over J. V. Stewart's Distribute.

Blimp, which has shown flashes of speed in numerous races, paid \$11.80 and completed the seven furlongs in 1:23 4-5.

Choices Fail Again.

Integrity, which was a well-whipped four-year-old, a slight favorite over Bright Bubble, it was a bad day for form players, as it was not until the sixth race that a favorite won.

Blimp was first in stride in a good start. He quickly disposed of Parity and continued smoothly with plenty of daylight as Wayne Wright vainly urged Bright Bubble after the pacemaker. Blimp never faltered and won decisively. Distribute ran evenly and held Integrity safe for the minor award.

Polly Cee, a filly that broke fast once to stumble almost instantly in her recent outing, made mistakes in the opening event, dashing right to the front and remaining there with little effort under Wayne Wright's smooth handling.

Parity, a rank outsider, forced all to tumble and finished three lengths behind the winner, paying \$47.90 for place. Lofly Lady, the favorite, was in early difficulty and closed ground to be third. The winner returned \$11.20.

No. 36 for Porter.

Earl Porter scored his thirty-sixth local victory in the second event, the same number he finished with at Tropical Park. The Geneva boy was astride the 5-to-1 shot, Tremolo, which outfooted his field all the way to get home by a half-length in a drive with the long-strider, Bernie K. The latter beat Tremolo by a length and a half for place, Tremolo ran a game race, withstanding early challenges from several horses before drawing clear. Bernie K. finished threateningly but Porter kept his mount together, four days by the starter for misbehavior at the barrier.

Manual earned his first purse in a hard drive in the third and broke heavily, \$80.40 for a \$2 stake. The gelding son of Dress Parade broke well, assumed the lead in quick order and responded gamely to Allen Tipton's hard urging in the final strides to beat the fast closing Dander by a head. Query drew a heavy bluff but third was the best he could do after breaking on top and forcing most of the pace. He was beaten a length and a half.

Sunny Tom Is Victor.

Don't Blush, Coucci up, was unable to stem the losing streak of favorites. Wayne Wright recorded a double by booting home the \$9.60 shot Sunny Tom in the fifth contest. Phantom Legion ran the winner to a half-length while beating Don Blush by two lengths for secondary honors. Don Blush made up some ground to be an easy third. All Blows, a very slow beginner, brought solace to the talent in the sixth race under Eddie Litzberger's capable guidance. The mare broke next to last but picked up the field gradually and won going away by a length and a half to pay \$3.20. Bichloride also came from behind to outdistance Calgary Kay by a length for the place.

Islam closed like a streak to nose out Scout Master in the last event. Boy Crazy was a good third. The winner was heavily backed, paying \$3.20. Hunter claimed foul, but it was not allowed.

Bobby Jones 8-1 Shot, Says Smith

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may be hard for him to get back his perfect concentration. He will be filled with anxiety. I have found that after a loss, sometimes you return with ambition that enables you to play better than ever and other times the anxiousness works against you.

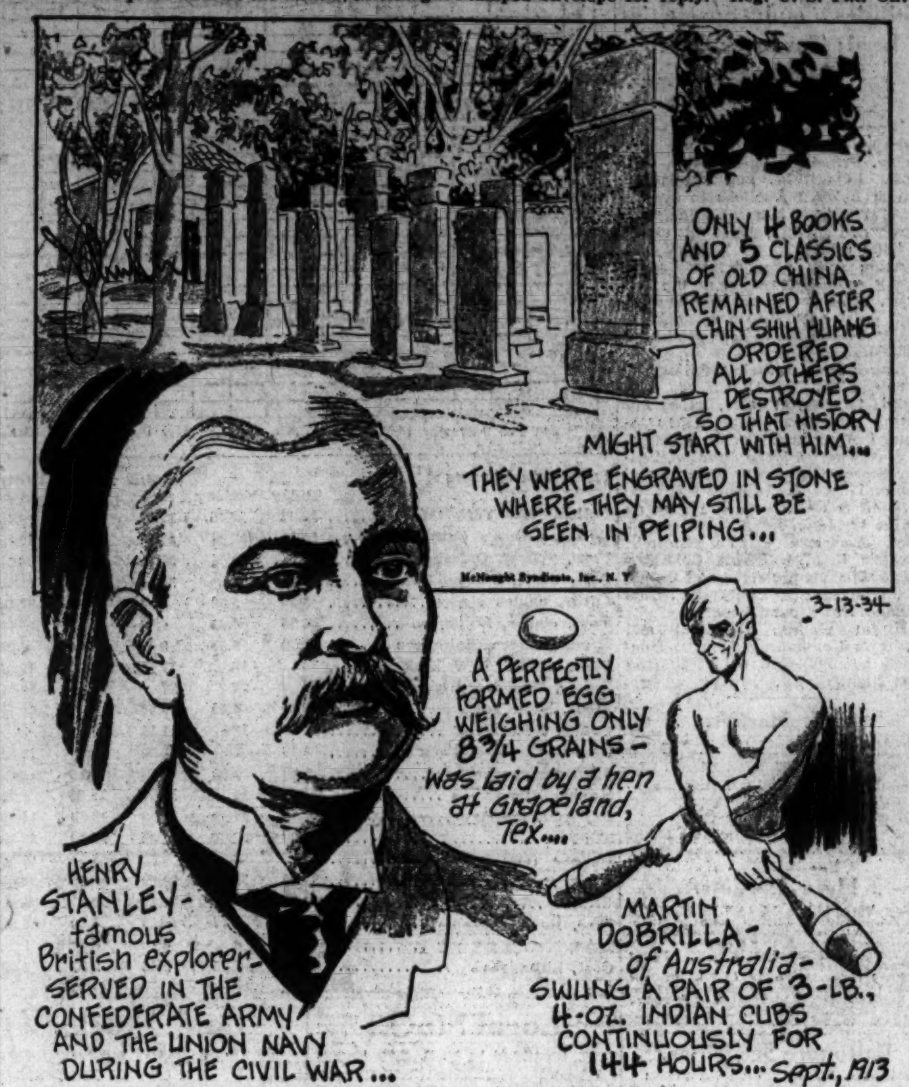
"Also, the pace is faster than in the days Jones played. I believe the leading professionals are 25 per cent improved. There are more good pros now and the boys at the top just naturally have to shoot lower scores to get in the money," Smith said.

A number of younger stars have come along in the last four years who have never played against Jones and some of them are confident enough not to have any fear of Bobby. Runyan is one who has never played in a tournament with Jones since his game propelled him among the leaders.

"If the professionals play the same fine golf at Augusta that they have displayed in other tournaments this season, it is going to be mighty difficult for Jones to win. The odds are going to be great against him. We professionals are keen to win and we'll be out there shooting," Horton said.

Strange as It Seems

For further proof address the author, inclosing a stamped envelope for reply. Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.



Sir Henry M. Stanley, who later gained fame as an explorer in Africa, was working in an office in New Orleans when the Civil War broke out in 1861. He enlisted in the Confederate Army but was captured by the Union forces in the battle of Shiloh the following spring.

He was kept in prison at Camp Douglas in Chicago for two months, from which he obtained a release by joining the Union Artillery. A month later he was discharged as unfit. He returned then to England, later became a sailor and was

wrecked off Barcelona. In August, 1864, he returned to the United States and enlisted in the Union Navy. During the Civil War he had served in both armies and one navy.

After the war Stanley traveled across the Western plains and wrote vivid descriptions of the new country. In 1867 he was sent by the New York Herald to accompany the British forces in their expedition against Emperor Theodore of Abyssinia. His most famous exploit took place in 1871 when he penetrated

into the interior of Africa to find the lost Dr. David Livingstone.

The strangest library in the world is the Hall of Classics in Peiping. It is, simply, a group of stones set outdoors on which are inscribed the complete text of the Four Books and Five Classics of Old China. These works were all that was left after Chin Shih Huang, the Emperor, destroyed all literary works so that history might start with his reign.

Tomorrow: The richest hill in the world.

Colors give added realism to strange things and happenings illustrated by John Hix on a full page in The Sunday Post.

At the Post...

with Bill Bennings.

Dear Al:

Hialeah Race Track, March 12. Shades of Charles Town! The boys dragged out the topcoats today and enjoyed the warmth thereof, despite the fact that members of the Miami Chamber of Commerce were still clogging up the \$2 windows in their shirt sleeves. No joking, it was a chilly day, friends. Two winners warmed my heart to some extent and Mike's longshot, Waterset, was second in the first race, paying a \$47.90 place. Mike had a deuce on the nose and he burned a hole right through the concrete stands when he missed that 58-to-1 by two lengths. So we brought out the mittens and ear muffs tonight while we went over the books. No, Brass Monkey did not workout this morning.

First race—James River appears to have found another spot where we can depend upon him, competing in this mile test. Coucci will replace Ambrose as the rider tomorrow and I expect a different result. Don Meade and Fabius should have something to say about the purse distribution. Sky Haven for the show.

Second race—Candy Prince was well backed to take that last and has some fine work to recommend him. Gilbert may know more about this youngster tomorrow and I expect them to get home in front. Below Zero and Try Sympathy for the rest.

Sixth race—Drombo gets the Bennings call in this mile. Sharp and ready, according to Clocker Mike. Royal Gold and Gibbs Choice to complete the money picture.

Seventh race—I'm giving Triangular one more chance. Stone Martin's last was a pip and the velvet.

The Post's Consensus at Hialeah Park

The following consensus has been compiled by The Post from the selections of the leading handicappers of the turf. The figures show how the selections were rated.

First race	Second race	Third race	Fourth race	Fifth race	Sixth race	Seventh race
James River (36)	Candy Prince (28)	Proseuter (26)	Wedding Ring (34)	Bartering Kate (26)	Drombo (22)	Renewed (20)
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West Va. Title Court Event at Clarksburg

Clarksburg, W. Va., March 12 (Sp.).—Arrangements have been completed for holding the sixth annual State Independent basketball tournament March 16 and 17 in the Washington Junior High School gym at Parkersburg under auspices of the Parkersburg City Board of Recreation.

Charles B. McMillen, an outstanding State official, has been chosen as referee. A number of teams have been entered and several widely known amateur players are included.

Sixty-eight awards will be made to winners. A 22-inch trophy will be presented the winning team, while first, second, third and fourth place team members will receive individual awards.

The Parkersburg board asks that all inquiries be sent to D. D. Hicks in its care at Parkersburg.

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EDWARD C. BALTZ, Secretary

Wheat Values Rise 1 3/8 Cents In Late Trading

Visible Supply Decreases 3,548,000 Bushels as Buying Jumps.

Chicago, March 12 (AP)—Jumps of more than 2 cents a bushel in wheat prices late today accompanied an unexpectedly big decrease of the United States wheat visible supply.

The decrease of wheat stocks amounted to 3,548,000 bushels the past week, and showed a reduction to 97,022,000 bushels, the smallest total since July, 1929.

This was the first time during the intervening period the supply had fallen below 100,000,000 bushels, and was in sharp contrast with the total a year ago, 142,431,000 bushels.

Spurge of Buying.

A sudden spurge of buying of wheat futures was witnessed as dealings drew to an end, with the market closing firm at nearly the day's top, 1/8 to 1/16 above Saturday's finish; corn, 1/8 to 1/16; oats, 1/8 to 1/16 advanced, and provisions unchanged to 5 cents decline.

Renewed activity and strength in wheat followed early setbacks of prices here that were owing a good deal to the fact Liverpool quotations today had entirely failed to respond to Saturday's sharp upturn on this side of the Atlantic.

During most of the time today, sellers of wheat futures in Chicago outnumbered buyers, but the situation was quickly reversed when official announcements more than confirmed bullish predictions about a decided falling off in domestic visible supplies. Early trading of wheat made haste then to switch to the purchase side of the market, and general speculative buying took on decidedly greater volume.

Aided by Securities.

Adding to the late upward impetus of wheat values was strength of securities, with favorable action on silver legislation, as well as fresh reports of crop damage Southwest. Talk was current also that the Bankhead cotton control bill might lead to corresponding measures regarding wheat.

Particular notice, too, was taken that a large share of the United States wheat visible supply decrease had been at Buffalo, and there were assertions that should navigation open late, Buffalo might have to come to Chicago for all-ship shipment of wheat.

Corn and oats rallied with wheat. A decrease of 1,293,000 bushels in the corn visible supply was somewhat above trade expectation. Provisions slightly reflected hog market declines.

Future Price Range.

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
May	87 1/2	88 1/2	87 1/2	88 1/2
July	86 1/2	87 1/2	86 1/2	87 1/2
Sept	85 1/2	86 1/2	85 1/2	86 1/2
Oct	84 1/2	85 1/2	84 1/2	85 1/2
Nov	83 1/2	84 1/2	83 1/2	84 1/2
Dec	82 1/2	83 1/2	82 1/2	83 1/2
Jan	81 1/2	82 1/2	81 1/2	82 1/2
Feb	80 1/2	81 1/2	80 1/2	81 1/2
Mar	79 1/2	80 1/2	79 1/2	80 1/2
Apr	78 1/2	79 1/2	78 1/2	79 1/2
May	77 1/2	78 1/2	77 1/2	78 1/2
June	76 1/2	77 1/2	76 1/2	77 1/2
July	75 1/2	76 1/2	75 1/2	76 1/2
Aug	74 1/2	75 1/2	74 1/2	75 1/2
Sept	73 1/2	74 1/2	73 1/2	74 1/2
Oct	72 1/2	73 1/2	72 1/2	73 1/2
Nov	71 1/2	72 1/2	71 1/2	72 1/2
Dec	70 1/2	71 1/2	70 1/2	71 1/2
Jan	69 1/2	70 1/2	69 1/2	70 1/2
Feb	68 1/2	69 1/2	68 1/2	69 1/2
Mar	67 1/2	68 1/2	67 1/2	68 1/2
Apr	66 1/2	67 1/2	66 1/2	67 1/2
May	65 1/2	66 1/2	65 1/2	66 1/2
June	64 1/2	65 1/2	64 1/2	65 1/2
July	63 1/2	64 1/2	63 1/2	64 1/2
Aug	62 1/2	63 1/2	62 1/2	63 1/2
Sept	61 1/2	62 1/2	61 1/2	62 1/2
Oct	60 1/2	61 1/2	60 1/2	61 1/2
Nov	59 1/2	60 1/2	59 1/2	60 1/2
Dec	58 1/2	59 1/2	58 1/2	59 1/2
Jan	57 1/2	58 1/2	57 1/2	58 1/2
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Dec	46 1/2	47 1/2	46 1/2	47 1/2
Jan	45 1/2	46 1/2	45 1/2	46 1/2
Feb	44 1/2	45 1/2	44 1/2	45 1/2
Mar	43 1/2	44 1/2	43 1/2	44 1/2
Apr	42 1/2	43 1/2	42 1/2	43 1/2
May	41 1/2	42 1/2	41 1/2	42 1/2
June	40 1/2	41 1/2	40 1/2	41 1/2
July	39 1/2	40 1/2	39 1/2	40 1/2
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U. S. Cotton Leads Indian In Sale Abroad

Stocks in India Pile Up During February; Tokyo Boycott Is Factor.

September, 1930," says the Exchange Service. "On a percentage basis, Indian cotton prices are the lowest relative to American cotton prices since January, 1931.

Indian Below American.

At the present time Indian Oomra is selling 188 penny points below American middling in the Liverpool market as compared with 116 last August, 75 in March last year, 46

On a percentage basis, Indian Oomra is selling at 71.7 per cent of the price of American as compared with 80.0 per cent last August, 85.5 in March last year, 91.4 two years ago, 73.2 three years ago, and 87.5

"During the past five cotton seasons, the widest monthly average price spread between American and Indian cottons was 311 points, in July, 1930; the narrowest monthly average spread was 16 points, in

On a percentage basis, Indian cotton sold lowest relative to American in July, 1930, at 58.8 per cent of the price of American cotton; it sold highest in January, 1932, at 97.1 per cent.

Stocks in India Large.
 "The stock of Indian cotton in India on February 28 was the largest end-February stock since 1929, aggregating 4,723,000 bales of about 400 pounds, as compared with 4,132,000 at the end of February last."

"The supply of Indian cotton in

India for this season was about 7,233,000 bales, as against 6,862,000 last season, 5,798,000 two seasons ago, and an average of 7,213,000 in the past five seasons.

"The distribution of Indian cotton by domestic consumption and ex-

ports from August 1 to February 28, this season, was very small, aggregating 2,510,000 bales, as compared with 2,730,000 in the corresponding period last season, 2,521,000 two seasons ago, and an average of 3,042,000 from August 1 to February 28 in the past five seasons.

"The small distribution of Indian cotton this season has been due primarily to the Japanese boycott on Indian cotton during the early part of this season. While the export movement from India to Japan has improved somewhat during the

past two months, exports for the season to date are lagging far behind recent seasons. Exports to Great Britain and the continent this season are larger than last season and two seasons ago, but are not sufficiently increased to offset the

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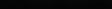
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Bonded Public Vehicles Here Sought in Bill

McCarran Measure Would Exempt Interstate and Sightseeing Cars.

Operators of public vehicles in the District would be required to post bonds or take out insurance to guarantee payment of damages under provisions of a bill introduced in the Senate yesterday by Senator McCarran (Democrat), Nevada.

The bill exempts interstate traffic and sightseeing buses.

Administration would be vested in the Public Utilities Commission, which would be authorized to fix maximum amounts which might be assessed for personal injuries.

Broadening powers for the District Commissioners are provided in another bill, to be considered at a meeting of the Senate District Committee called for Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock by Senator King (Democrat), Utah, committee chairman.

New court procedure governing foreclosure of mortgages is prescribed in another measure which Senator King intends to press at the meeting. Another bill is aimed at usury. It limits interest and commissions on loans to the maximum legal rate of interest.

A sub-committee to consider an old-age pension law for the District also is expected to be named. A subject was brought up at the last meeting by Senator Capper (Republican), Kansas, and Senator Copeland (Democrat), New York, each of whom have introduced pension bills. Brief hearings may be held by the sub-committee. The committee of the House District Committee has voted favorably on a pension bill.

Minute Movies

WHEELMAN SERIAL
ELIZABETH OF RUSSIA
— EPISODE 6

THE ORNATE COACH BELONGED TO PRINCE ZVONSKY WHO NOW GOT OUT AND ENTERED THE YARD

THE GRAND DUCHESS ELIZABETH AND NATALIE WATCHED FROM THE WINDOW AS PRINCE ZVONSKY APPROACHED THE HOUSE

OH, HOW I DESPISE THAT MAN AND YET I FEAR HIM

YOUR HIGHNESS!

PRINCE ZVONSKY, I AM HONORED WITH THIS UNEXPECTED VISIT!

WELL, PRINCE ZVONSKY, WHAT IS IN THE WIND NOW?

I PRAY, YOUR HIGHNESS, DO NOT BE SARCASMATIC!

KNOWING MY TRUE FEELINGS FOR YOU, IT DOES NOT REQUIRE A GREAT AMOUNT OF IMAGINATION TO KNOW WHY I HAVE COME!

BUT I TRUST YOU WILL ALLOW ME THE PRIVILEGE OF SPEAKING TO YOU PRIVATELY!

INDEED YES! YOU MAY WAIT FOR ME UPSTAIRS, NATALIE!

PRINCE BORIS ZVONSKY, A BLACK SHEEP OF THE RUSSIAN NOBILITY, WHO WAS FAITHFULLY SERVING THE FOREIGN PARTY THEN IN POWER

RALPH McNEER

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Robber Clubs Woman, Takes \$400 Diamond

Blow With Gun Deals Owner Who Shows Thief Home.

An unidentified bandit, who slugged Mrs. John C. Rout, 50, of the 2800 block Cathedral avenue northwest, and robbed her of a diamond ring valued at \$400, was sought by police last night.

Noticing a "For Sale" sign in front of the house, the robber knocked on the door about noon yesterday and asked Mrs. Rout if he might inspect the premises.

After seeing the house, he threatened Mrs. Rout with a gun.

Naperville, Ill., March 12 (AP).—Furniture plans of the Kroehler Manufacturing Co. at Naperville and Kankakee, Ill., were virtually shut down today by a strike of 1,100 of its 1,200 employees. The walkout was peaceful.

The upholsterers and mill workers demanded wage increases ranging from 47 to 91 per cent and asked a change from piece work basis to a straight time basis.

Wright to Hold Strong Hand In Derby

Hadagal Main Hope With Prince Pompey, Count Race Also Eligible.

NEW YORK, March 12 (AP).—Warren Wright's Calumet Farms will hold a strong hand in the sixtieth running of the Kentucky Derby if Hadagal, best of his three colts eligible to the rich Churchill Downs prize, goes to the post in the mile-and-a-quarter class on May 5.

Trainer Bert Williams is reported as placing his main reliance on the slashing bay son of Sir Gallahad III and the imported Erne, which union produced the fleet mare, Pansy Walker.

Belleuve, a son of Pompey and Bourbon Girl, and Count Race, whose daddy, Reigh Count, distinguished himself on two continents in his racing days, are the other eligibles to carry the red and blue silks of the vice president of the Arlington Park Jockey Club in the \$50,000 added 3-year-old prize.

Hadagal Good Investment.

Hadagal proved a profitable investment at the Saratoga sales in 1932, where he was purchased for \$4,000. He more than won himself out in the first year of campaigning with earnings of \$11,300. Out of 15 starts he won three races, finished second twice and third once.

In winning the Champagne Stakes at Belmont Park last fall, Hadagal impressed many a veteran horseman as a colt that possessed speed and stamina to carry on. As a result of this victory he went into the Futurity a strong choice but did not take kindly to the muddy track on Futurity Day and finished out of the money.

The get of Sir Gallahad III usually improve after their first season of racing. As Hadagal was one of the better class of 2-year-olds, it is reasonable to suppose he will rank among the leaders of the Derby division.

Wright to Get Mount.

Wayne Wright, popular young Western jockey, has been engaged to pilot the Calumet star on Derby Day and quotations against the colt in the winter books rate him a 20-to-1 hazard.

If anything happens to Hadagal, Trainer Williams is prepared to fall back on Count Race. This big chestnut colt was late coming to hand in 1933 and did little in his eight races to warrant serious consideration. However, the colt is in active training and if he, too, comes up to racing pitch in the next six weeks the Chicago sportsman will have a double entry in the Derby.

Prince Pompey, which won two of his 11 starts as a juvenile, is also in active training for his 3-year-old campaign. He does not appear as a starter in the Blue Grass special unless something happens to his more formidable stablemates.

Prentice Services To Be Held in N. Y.

Balloon Officer's Body Sent to Batavia for Burial.

Funeral services for Col. James Prentice, one of the organizers of the Army Balloon School at Fort Omaha, Neb., who died early Sunday in Walter Reed Hospital, will be held at Batavia, N. Y., probably tomorrow. The body was sent to Batavia, Col. Prentice's home, last night.

Col. Prentice was retired in 1926 for disability resulting from an injury received in balloon maneuvers during the World War. Prior to his retirement he was in charge of airship development in the office of the director of the Air Service here.

Col. Prentice entered the Military Academy in 1896. His prewar duty was in the Philippines and various domestic stations. He is survived by a sister, Mrs. Josephine Edger-ton, of New York City.

Md. Weight-Lifting Title Meet Saturday

Hagerstown, Md., March 12 (Sp.).—Leading weight lifters of Maryland will be seen in action here Saturday, when they compete in the Maryland championships.

The competition is made all the more interesting because Dick Bachtell, Hagerstown, is five-time National lightweight lifting king, while Robert Knodle, Hagerstown, who for six years has held the National 112-pound crown, as well as numerous American records at his weight, will also represent this city.

Holding is scheduled in three Olympic lifts—the two-hand military press, two-hand snatch and two-hand clean and jerk—for lifters in the 112, 118, 126, 135, 145, 165, 181 and 205-pound classes.

Markley, Baltimore, South Atlantic and Maryland State champion at 181 pounds, and Anthony Terlazzo, of York, Pa., will compete. All registered amateur weight lifters in the State are eligible to compete.

Radio Waves and Ripples

IF you want to get anywhere in Mr. Gibber's apartment after 3 o'clock on a Sunday afternoon—to see, for example, if Mr. Gibber, who lives on the seventh floor, has anything for a cold—you walk. You may think you'll have to climb the elevator and push out determinedly poking the buzzer button with forefinger and thumb, but you wind up climbing the stairs, a frustrated and broken individual, having completely lost your temper and, in all probability, a finger nail or two.

The reason for this complete breakdown of the establishment's normally unimpeachable service is Pinkney, the elevator and phone operator. As you were caressing your fingers you may have heard music swelling above the clamor of Mrs. McQuigley's children skating in the fifth floor hall. And reaching the seventh floor you would have seen the estimable Pinkney sitting on his haunches close by the open door of the McQuigley apartment, listening to the McQuigley radio, if you hadn't made a direct run for Mr. Gibber's rooms thinking only of how powerfully you needed an extra large dosage of cold medicine.

Believe us, Pinkney is no ordinary mortal. He has the soul of a concert master. Speak to him of Harlem rhythms, of Don Redman, Duke Ellington, Fletcher Henderson and those other gods of high-de-ho and you get looked at down the nose. Speak to him of symphony, of Wagner, Toscanini and Dr. Damrosch and you get an ecstatic mouthful of concerto, fugue, rhapsody and cavatina.

On any other afternoon, but Sunday, Pinkney is your obedient command, thoughtful, over-solicitous if anything, ready and willing at all times to run out for a box of aspirin should Mr. Gibber's supply of cold remedy be low. But Sunday, you know, is the day for the New York Philharmonic and that one-hour concert on N. B. C. And Pinkney has no radio.

The deficiency has been adequately filled by the understanding Mrs. McQuigley, who every week over her mate's now feeble protests turns her receiver on full blast and leaves her apartment door open.

How fortunate, indeed, for the development of aesthetic values in Pinkney that the McQuigleys own Mr. Gibber's apartment. How fortunate, too, for our weakening heart that Mr. Gibber's apartment is no more than seven floors high.

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N. B. C. Photo.

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quately filled by the understanding Mrs. McQuigley, who every week over her mate's now feeble protests turns her receiver on full blast and leaves her apartment door open.

How fortunate, indeed, for the development of aesthetic values in Pinkney that the McQuigleys own Mr. Gibber's apartment. How fortunate, too, for our weakening heart that Mr. Gibber's apartment is no more than seven floors high.

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Arlene Jackson and Green Brothers Orchestra, 7:30 p. m.; Ben Bernie, 9 p. m.

WMAL—Tribute to O. O. McIntyre, Meredith Wilson playing his McIntyre Suite, 2 p. m.; George Gershwin tells his own famous story, Nellie Revell at Large, 2:45 p. m.; Palmer House Promenade, 10 p. m.

WJSV—"This Little Piggy Went to Market," "Moonlight Waltz," Ruth Etting, 9:15 p. m.; Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra in a program of familiar classics from Bach to Victor Herbert, 9:30 p. m.; Colonel Stoopnagle presents his second "Nevanagle and Budd's Stoopnagle of the Air," 10 p. m.

Commercial broadcasting is creeping into the darkest reaches of Africa.

Just a few weeks ago a new transmitter, 10,000-watt—began operations near Cape Town. Soon another station, a duplicate of the one at Cape Town, is to be set up at Durban, making five high-powered broadcasters in South Africa alone.

It's getting so a fellow can't even go elephant shooting without taking a radio along.

The tour of Arthur Godfrey, of WJSV, as official announcer for the Philadelphia Orchestra, has been extended to March 24. Until then that part of the Sun Dial that he is still conducting will be broadcast from New York.

Beyond that the fast-climbing former president of WMAL's Breakfast Club has no plans.

However, the most conservative observers are of the opinion that WJSV will be looking for another Sun Dialist in another month. Even Godfrey's former N.B.C. boss are quick to admit he has what it takes to do well in front of a microphone.

Members of the Byrd Antarctic expedition will have their Easter sermon Saturday night, March 31. Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick will deliver it from his Riverside Drive rectory via telephone lines to C.B.S. circuits.

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Harry S. Hall Buried Today At Takoma

Adventist Official Victim of Stroke on Visit.

Funeral services for Harry S. Hall, 62, secretary of the publishing department of the World's General Conference of Seventh Day Adventists, will be held at 2:30 p. m. today at the Takoma Park Seventh Day Adventist Church. Mr. Hall died suddenly Saturday after a paralytic stroke at the Washington Sanitarium and Hospital where he was visiting.

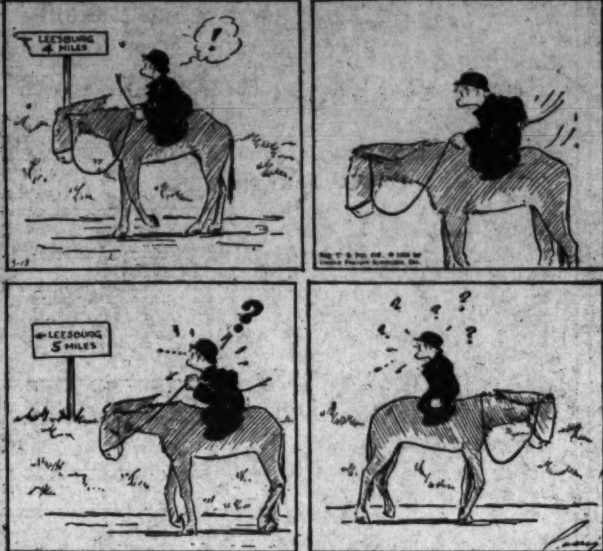
Mr. Hall, born at Kewanee, Wis., became associated with the Seventh Day Adventist activities as a youth, his first position being with the Kansas State Conference. For 26 years he was with the Pacific Press Publishing Co., at Mountain View, Calif. He was elected associate secretary of the general conference publishing department in 1920 and became secretary in 1930.

He is survived by his widow, formerly Miss Lucy M. Olds, a brother, Fred B. A. Hall, a teacher in the Southwestern Junior College, Keene, Tex., and other relatives. A niece, Miss Pearl Hall, a teacher in the Southern Junior College, Ooltewah, Tenn., is visiting Mrs. Hall.

Six clergymen of the General Conference will participate in the funeral services. They are the Revs. W. A. Spicer, I. H. Evans, F. M. Wilcox, N. Z. Town, E. E. Franklin and W. W. Eastman.

Funeral services will be the Rev. M. E. Ken, H. W. Sherrill, J. Elliott, and Messrs. W.

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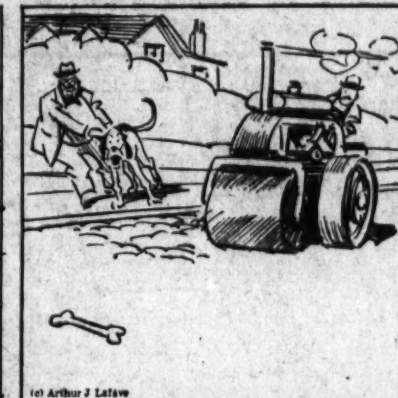


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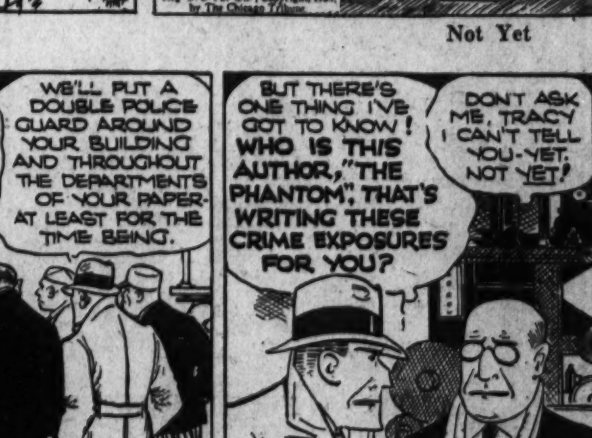
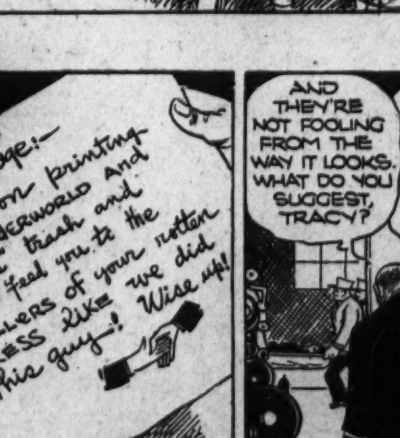
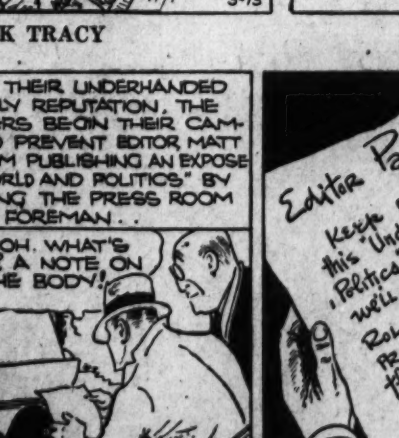
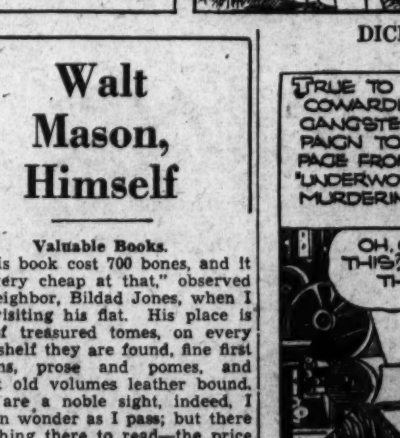
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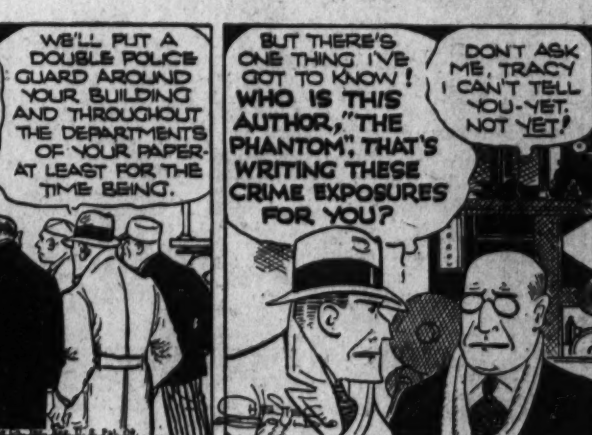
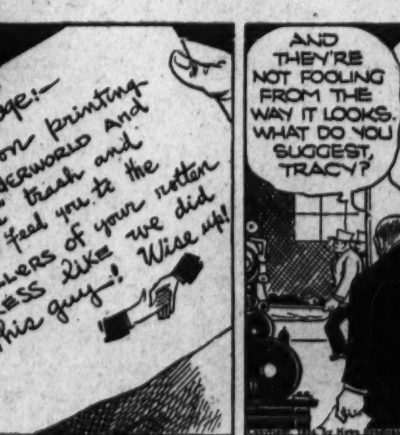
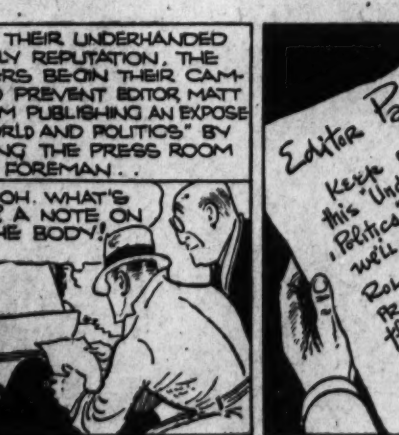
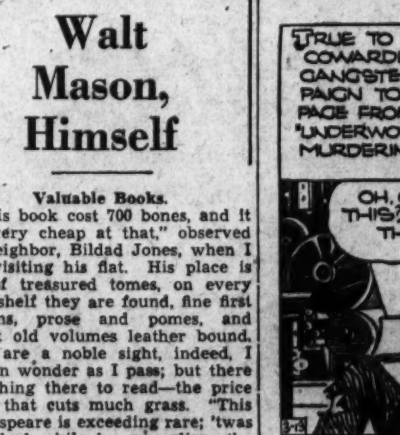
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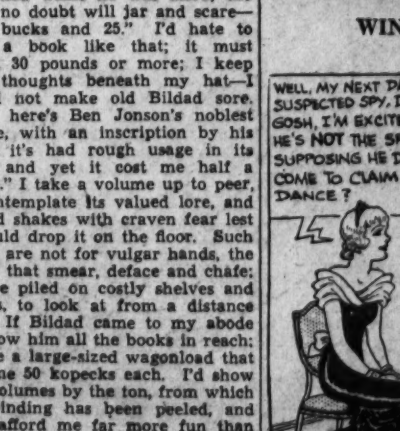
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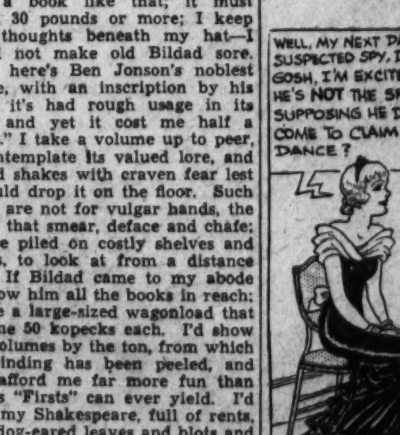
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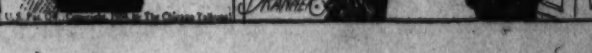
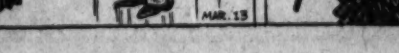
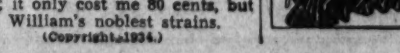
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ACROSS

- Wager
- Painful
- Pierce with a pointed weapon
- Pulpy fruit
- Men who handle a boat
- Large plant
- Give up formally and definitely
- Scare
- Opposite of weather
- One under legal age
- Embrace
- Low tides
- French river
- Passage in the brain
- Utility
- Puttered
- One who takes the initiative
- Puss
- Cries of cattle
- Roman emperor
- Metal fasteners
- Quantity of medicine
- Slope
- Walk wearily
- Suspend

DOWN

- Prickly seed covering
- Night before an event
- Bronze in the sun
- Break slabs into slabs
- Department in France
- Beverage
- Pertle spots
- Female horse
- State of profound insensibility
- Told an untruth
- Remembrance of sound
- Long fish
- Pagan god
- God of love
- Give out
- Positive electric pole
- Flash hawk
- Round roof
- Provided with shoes
- Narrow road
- Solitary
- Antique
- Faucet
- Organ of vision
- Steep flax

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

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Speaker Denies Law's Power Over Religion

Civil power has no right to make laws governing religious things, Dr. H. B. Volaw, associate secretary of the Religious Liberty Bureau, told an audience in Columbia Hall, Washington Missionary College, Sunday.

"If we admit that a legislative body has the right to grant an exemption from some, from the operation of a religious law, we must admit that the same body has a right to withdraw the exemption," asserted Dr. Volaw, whose address was part of the Religious Liberty Week program of Seventh Day Adventists here.

Walt Mason, Himself

Valuable Books.

"This book cost 700 bones, and it was very cheap at that," observed my neighbor, Bildad Jones, when I was visiting his flat. His place is full of treasured tomes, on every book shelf they are found, fine first editions, prose and poems, and quaint old volumes leather bound. They are a noble sight, indeed, I gaze in wonder as I pass; but there is nothing there to read—the price is all that cuts much grass. "This Shakespeare is exceeding rare," twas published while he was alive; the price no doubt will jar and scare—2,000 bucks and 25." I'd hate to read a book like that; it must weigh 80 pounds or more. I keep such thoughts beneath my hat—I would not make old Bildad sore. "Now here's Ben Jonson's noblest rhyme, with an inscription by his hand; it's had rough usage in its time, and yet it cost me half a grand." I take a volume up to peer, to contemplate its valued lore, and Bildad shakes with craven fear lest I should drop it on the floor. Such books are not for vulgar hands, the hands that smear, deface and chafe; they're piled on costly shelves and stands, to look at from a distance safe. If Bildad came to my abode I'd show him all the books in reach; I have a large-sized wagonload that cost me 50 kopecks each. I'd show him volumes by the ton, from which the binding has been peeled, and they afford me far more fun than all his "First's" can ever yield. I'd show him Shakespeare, full of rents, with dog-eared leaves and blot and stains; it only cost me 80 cents, but it has William's noblest strains. (Copyright, 1934.)

Copper Code Under Attack By Arizonans

Senators Ashurst, Hayden Join Mrs. Greenway Against Plan.

A barrage was laid down on the proposed code for the copper industry yesterday by a group of Senators and Representatives from the copper States.

Led by Senators Ashurst and Hayden and Representative Isabella Greenway, all of Arizona, they appeared at a public hearing in the United States Chamber of Commerce to attack the code as, in Mrs. Greenway's words, "merely lukewarm dishwater."

Charging that many members of the industry are opposed to any code, Mrs. Greenway said: "The thousands of unemployed back home in the West, who are receiving relief money for purposeless tasks, for carrying dirt from one side of the road to the other and back again, are saying to you today, 'Take a chance on our behalf.'"

Senator Ashurst asked for an embargo against copper importations, a method of "freezing" the present surplus above ground which is dragging down the market, and a 6-hour day.

A. E. Petermann, representing the United States Copper Association, sponsor of the code, said he didn't mind it being called dishwater, but did object to the suggestion that it was not submitted in good faith. He said there is a surplus of the metal which, at present consumption rates, will take 13 months to dispose of, and that employment in the industry, without a foreign market, may never again reach the 1929 level.

The nature of the industry, he said, required a 12-hour work day, averaged out over a 3-month period to make a maximum work week of 40 hours. He also asked for control of production, prices and surplus and minimum wage rates of from 80 to 41 cents which, he estimated, would increase pay rolls by about \$120,000 a month.

Hoval A. Smith, of the Arizona Domestic Copper Producers Association, read a 26,000-word brief which he said he had been nine years in preparing and five months trying to get a hearing for in Washington. He did not reveal his code stand.

Parole "Slavery" Probed.

Little Rock, Ark., March 12 (P). Chairman Walter Helms of the State penal board said today reports that paroled convicts had been forced by persons to whom they had been paroled to work for little or no pay were under investigation by penal authorities and the attorney general's department.

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34 Pieces of Shrapnel in Body, Veteran Is Held Partially Fit

Although he has now 34 pieces of shrapnel in his body, Dean Stanley Reynolds, 41, yesterday was declared by a jury in District Supreme Court not to be totally or permanently disabled.

Reynolds brought suit against the Government to collect on a \$10,000 war risk insurance policy on the ground that he was totally and permanently disabled when he dropped the policy in 1919. He was injured at Soissons, France, in 1917.

The jury, in Justice James M. Proctor's court, heard that since his disability, for which he receives about \$90 a month from the Government, Reynolds had worked in a shoe factory in Massachusetts, and had received a total salary of \$16,000.

Assistant United States Attorney Walter M. Shea charged that the man was not totally disabled since he was able to work. He admitted

Estate Left to Aged. Miami, Fla., March 12 (P).—Plans for the eventual establishment of a home for the aged in Massachusetts were revealed in copies of probate records filed here today in the estate of Mrs. Hannah B. Shaw, winter resident at Coral Gables, who recently died in Middlesborough, Mass.

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\$1,000 Suit Filed In Crash; 1 Dies

A \$1,000 damage suit was filed yesterday as result of a triple bus and auto crash at Cottage City, Md., February 10. The action followed the death Sunday of one of the drivers in the accident.

The suit, against the Capitol Transit Co., was filed at Upper Marlboro by Burton's Nurseries, charging shrubs were destroyed by a bus that went over the embankment into the garden.

Fred A. Zentgraf, 3107 Channing street northeast, alleged driver of one of the cars in the crash, died at Providence Hospital Sunday from injuries received then. An inquest will be held Thursday.

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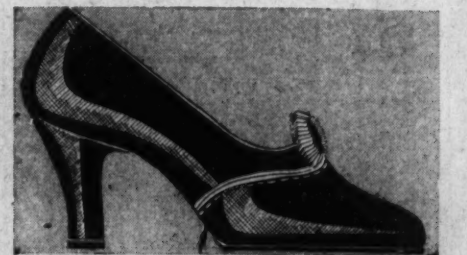
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